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A "Boomer" Movement on a Montana Reservation.

FIREMEN'S TOURNAMENT RACES.

D'Arcy Appointed Democratic Secretary—Death of Gen. Adair at Astoria—An Opinion of the Northwest, Etc.

HELENA, Montana, April 9.—The Fort Ellis military reserve, lying along the line of the Northern Pacific railroad, east of Bozeman, is overrun by squatters. They took possession of it on Saturday, in a surreptitious manner, and the facts have just leaked out. A preconcerted movement was made by means of a secret circular which was mailed to certain parties and marked "personal" and "confidential." The circular goes on to say: "Fort Ellis was abandoned two years ago, and as a bill is not passed this session of congress throwing it open to homestead entry, it will be disposed of under the law of July 5, 1884, to be sold to the highest bidder. It is of the utmost importance that it be made subject to homestead entry. There is every probability that congress will pass a relieving act, allowing the ones in possession to perfect their entry or holding under the homestead law, with perhaps the additional payment of $1 25 or $2 50 per acre. It is the purpose of the committee to advocate sending a man to Washington to personally press the passage of a suitable bill. The great point in the movement is to advocate the practicability of waking the mouth of Bear canyon, thus making a reservoir that will hold sufficient water to irrigate the entire arable land, and would also have sufficient water power to run a mill. All are to meet at the hospital on the reservation promptly at 8 A. M., and each man's land will be drawn by lot. You have the privilege of inviting one friend."

For fear of being too late, a large number started immediately for the reserve, and those that went up this morning found all of the choice locations squatted upon. This will probably end like all of the former stampedes, in the squatters being forced off by the military. The squatters, however, now have possession of about eighty homesteads.

FIREMEN'S TOURNAMENT.

Programme of the Races to be Run in Portland, Next June.

ASTORIA, April 9.—The following races have been adopted for the Northwestern Firemen's Association tournament of 1889, to be held in Portland, June 21, 22 and 23:

Championship race—Run 150 yards to hydrant, attach, lay 350 feet of hose, put on pipe and get water; take a length from the cart, replace the second length from the hydrant and get water; time to be called when water passes the pipe the second time; cart to carry 450 feet of hose, all couplings made. In this race it is supposed that the second length from the hydrant burst, and that the firemen had to shut off the water, and replace with a sound length.

Wet test—Distance 700 feet in all, 500 feet to hydrant, lay 200 feet of hose, uncouple, and screw on pipe; hose cart to carry not less than 300 feet of hose; time taken when water leaves the pipe.

National hose test—Distance, 600 feet in all; 400 feet to the hydrant, make a light coupling and lay 200 feet of hose; break the light coupling and screw on the pipe three full threads; carts to carry not less than 250 feet of hose; time to be taken when the pipe is on.

Speed race—Distance 700 feet; carts to carry not less than 250 feet of hose; time taken when the center of the reel of the hose cart crosses the score.

Hook and ladder contest—In the hook and ladder team not more than thirty men shall run 600 feet, put up a 30-foot ladder within 10 degrees of perpendicular, in the street, and have a man ascend to the top in any manner he may select; time called when he grasps the top rung, which must be held until time is called.

Tender contest—Engine tender companies, twelve boys, 16 years or under, to run 200 yards and carry 200 pounds of coal.

FROM SALEM.

Personal and General Notes—The Suicide Buried in the Potter's Field.

SALEM, April 9.—Hon. George W. McBride, secretary of state, and Ed. Giltner, his private secretary, returned this morning from a three months' stay at San Francisco. Mr. McBride's health is much improved and locomotion, though yet difficult, is easier than before he left.

The steamer Champion ran a snag in her bottom yesterday morning, near Corvallis. She came down yesterday and was to-day repaired.

The state military board, which should have held a session here to-day, had no quorum. Siglin is sick, Shoffner didn't show up, and Bowditch was here alone.

P. H. D'Arcy, of this city, was to-day appointed secretary of the democratic state central committee by Hon. A. Bush, chairman.

The body of E. W. Jones, the suicide, found in the river yesterday, was to-day buried in the potter's field by the authorities. The coroner's verdict, returned last night, was to the effect that the man had died either from drowning, or the effects of a cut in the throat inflicted with a sharp instrument, either by himself or some person or persons to the jury unknown. There is little doubt that Jones stood on the outer braces of the bridge, cut his throat, and then threw himself into the river, making death doubly sure. The boys who saw him take the fatal leap noticed that he made a motion with his arm, as if throwing away something, and also that that the water was covered with blood where he struck.

DEATH OF GEN. ADAIR.

The Aged Pioneer Passes Away at His Home in Astoria.

ASTORIA, April 9.—Gen. John Adair died at his residence in Upper Astoria, at 2 o'clock this afternoon. He had been in feeble health for some time, knowing the end was near. His three sons, John, Samuel D. and Wm. B., have been at his home since Friday. They, with his wife and daughter, Laura P., were with him when he died. He leaves a wife, three sons, five daughters and twenty-one grandchildren. He was born in Kentucky, August 8, 1808. His parents were natives of South Carolina. His father, John Adair, was governor of Kentucky in 1818. His mother, Mrs. Catharine Adair, came across the Cumberland mountains and was the first white lady ever seen in Kentucky. Gen. Adair and wife moved to Terre Haute, Ind., in 1844. He was appointed collector of customs here by President Polk. In 1848 he went to New Orleans, and from there, via Isthmus of Panama, to San Francisco. He came here on the brig Valadora, arriving April 3, 1849. He was collector for twelve years, and has resided here continuously since April, 1849. He leaves a heritage of a stainless name, and the memory of a good man. He will be buried in the family burial ground, in the rear of the chapel of Holy Innocents, Upper Astoria, at 11 o'clock Wednesday morning.

GETTING THERE: JUST THE SAME.

A Californian's Opinion of Oregon and Washington.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 9.—T. M. Thompson, president of the Pacific Construction Company, who has just returned from Seattle, gives a favorable report of the steady progress of Oregon and Washington territory. "I am busy," said he, "in putting down a cable line in Seattle, and I have entered into contracts to lay cable roads in Spokane Falls, Tacoma and Portland. These contracts will keep me engaged for the next two years, after which time I expect to have more contracts on hand for similar work. You have no idea of the headway and progress that have been made up north since the railroad line has been opened between San Francisco and Portland. Property has increased over 100 per cent. in some sections. I find as much if not more real and substantial improvements going on in Portland, Seattle, Tacoma and other northern towns as I do in any city or town in California or further south. The difference is they do not make so much noise over their prosperity."

SHOT THE WRONG MAN.

A Deluded Husband Makes a Discovery That Fires His Revenge.

SACRAMENTO, April 9.—A special to the *Bee* from Folsom says a young man named W. R. Talley arrived here from Oakland today, and asked to see convict Charles Wadleigh. Warden Arnold refused the request as the man appeared to be agitated. Some time later, as a gang of convicts were returning from a quarry, Talley drew a pistol and fired four shots, striking convict Virel in the shoulder, and inflicting a painful wound. Folley was placed under arrest, and charged with assault to murder. He did not know Wadleigh, and mistook Virel for him. Wadleigh is serving a five years' sentence for seducing a girl, whom Folley a few months ago married, not knowing of her relations with Wadleigh.

A CRANK'S DELUSION.

He Thinks Florence Blythe, the Heiress, is Another Child.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 9.—Considerable excitement was caused to-day by the statement that one Dr. Mark Rame attempted to kidnap Florence Blythe, heiress to the great Blythe estate. It appears that in 1883 a child named Annie Mooney was lost at Belmont during a picnic, and although a large reward was offered, she never has been found. Rame became possessed of the idea that Florence Blythe was the missing child, and in 1885, it is said, attempted to carry her off. On Saturday last he induced the Mooneys to go with him to Berkely, where Florence was residing with her guardian, James Perry, and claim their child. At the same time he confided his plot to a boy, who visited at Perry's. The latter told an officer, and when the parties put in an appearance Rame was arrested. The Mooney family, of course, failed to recognize their daughter in Florence Blythe. Rame, in the opinion of Chief Crowley, is a crank who ought to spend a few months in the house of correction. He is held on a charge of attempt to steal a child, and the case comes up in two weeks.

ESCAPED INTO MEXICO.

An Exciting Chase and Fight Near Phoenix, Arizona.

PHOENIX, April 9.—J. W. Blankenship, constable of this city, had a warrant to arrest one Manuel, at Gila Bend yesterday, on a charge of assault, and after having been placed under arrest Manuel seized an opportunity and broke for liberty. Blankenship fired twice in the air, ordering his prisoner to halt. The order was disregarded. The race continued until Manuel reached his cabin, and grabbed a Winchester. Falling on his knee, he took deliberate aim at the still advancing officer, and fired two shots, fortunately not doing injury. Blankenship halted and fired, hitting Manuel in the left shoulder, whereupon the race was renewed. Manuel got into some bushes, mounted a horse and fled. The officer lost time in searching for an animal to follow, but finally pulled an Indian off a pony and started in pursuit. The race continued in the direction of Mexico, and Blankenship's horse failed and finally gave out entirely. He returned to Gila Bend on foot. It is believed Manuel is seriously hurt.

CALIFORNIA.

San Francisco Notes.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 9.—The coast surveying corps has given notice that a dangerous sunken rock lies 2.2 miles west-northwest, seven-eighths west, from Gupper's rock in the Coquille river, Oregon.

The fleet of deep-water ships awaiting crews does not diminish in number. Vessels ready for sea and waiting men are the ship St. Paul, for New York; British ships Flintshire, Militades, Morna, and John o' Gaunt, for England; British ships Sakato, Duncow and Fingal, for England, by way of South America; British ship Silleland, for Australia, by way of Puget sound.

A gang of Chinese from Portland who are to work in the Alaskan salmon canneries were transferred to-day from the steamer State of California to the bark Lizzie Williams. The transfer was made by a tug, so that the payment of poll tax was avoided.

This morning, acting in pursuance of instructions from Washington, United States District Attorney Carey took charge of the government against Charles McDonald dismissed. McDonald was sued for $850 as receiver of public money at Shasta, Cal.

The bark Klikitat, Capt. Cutler, arrived in port this morning, eleven days from Port Townsend. She sailed in, and while doing so, to avoid running down a small schooner which was anchored outside, she let go her anchor. The chain parted and she lost a portion of it and her anchor.

M. T. J. Blakeney, superintendent of the life-saving service on this coast, who has been on a tour of inspection to the Eureka coast, returned yesterday on the City of Chester. He will shortly go to Oregon to inspect the stations there.

The committee of the National Educational Association have published a circular giving a list of hotels and lodging-houses in this city and Oakland, together with rates of board. The circular is very complete, and is accompanied by a map of the city.

The Woolstein Murder Trial.

LOS ANGELES, April 9.—In the Woolstein trial to-day Judge Cheney refused to admit the confession made by defendant to ex-Chief of Police D'Arcy and ex-Detective Brady on the ground that it was obtained by duress. D'Arcy was on the stand all morning.

A statement made by Hattie Woolstein, in which she detailed the circumstances of her acquaintance with Dr. Harlan and described the routes taken by them in their buggy rides, on October 5 and 6, before the murder, was read by Detektiv Brady, and admitted in evidence. She said that on the evening of the 8th the doctor called on her, but left in a few minutes, saying he had some business to attend to. He looked troubled about something. This was the last time she ever saw him. She didn't know him before January. "He called at the Barbey place, where I was working, and asked me to quit work, and he'd help me out. I refused assistance, but quit work in June, sister and I living together ever since. He promised to marry me."

Brady said Chief D'Arcy had obtained the statement without any threats or force.

Convention of Fruit Growers.

SANTA BARBARA, April 9.—The ninth convention of the fruit growers of California assembled to-day. Elwood Cooper was elected president, and E. W. Teltong secretary. President Cooper delivered the opening address, in the course of which he discussed the Mills tariff bill, and recommended that the convention protest against any changes in the present tariff, so far as it affects fruit production.

An address of welcome was delivered by Hon. Russell Heath, of Carpentaria.

A letter from the Sutter County Horticultural Society, urging the holding of the next convention in Marysville, was read, and after discussion on a paper by Joseph Sexton on "Culture of English Walnuts," the convention adjourned till to-morrow.

California Normal Schools.

LOS ANGELES, April 9.—The board of trustees of the normal schools of California met this evening, Prof. Denman presiding. A committee appointed to prepare a uniform course of study, and a uniform series of text books for use in Normal schools of the state, reported that in their opinion the school year should be divided into three terms, of sixteen, twelve and twelve weeks respectively; that the studies to be pursued, that the time to be given to each, and the term during which they should be introduced should be in accordance with a schedule which the commission submitted, and which was adopted.

Rate-Cutting.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 9.—Local railroad affairs were perturbed by rumors of passenger rate cutting. The Canadian Pacific is charged with cutting the second-class rate to New York $10. That line is in the transcontinent agreement, and the reduction of rates by its agents is viewed with surprise. Other roads, however, are not guiltless. Attempts to cut the New York rate from $61 25 to $48 were reported to-day, but this is hardly credited by the more conservative passenger men, who say that the limit of cutting has not yet reached $10.

Horrible Attempt at Suicide.

FRESNO, April 9.—On Wing, a crazy Chinaman, stabbed himself in the stomach Saturday, near Kingsbury, this county. He was brought here to-day to the county hospital, but got away from the officers, and going out near the fair grounds, in the outskirts of the city, made a sharp peg eight inches long, which he proceeded to drive in his body, in a wound made by a knife, using a rock to pound the peg in. He is still alive.

Arrested With Smuggled Opium.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 9.—Ho Young, an intelligent looking Chinamen, was taken into custody by Deputy Surveyor Fogarty this afternoon, at the Pacific free warehouse. He came for a case of merchandise marked "William White, household goods," presented an order for them properly signed, and had them loaded into a wagon, which he was arrested. The household goods proved, on examination, to contain 580 five-tael boxes of prepared opium, worth about $4060. The customs officers claim that the opium was brought here from British Columbia, having first been taken to Manitoba, and then smuggled across the line into Minnesota and brought here on the cars. The Chinaman claims to have been ignorant as to the contents of the boxes.

Shipping.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 9.—Arrived—Steamers Walla Walla, Nanaimo, Arago, Coos bay; State of California, Portland; ships T. F. Oakes, Seattle; Oriental, Tacoma. Cleared—Steamer Wilmington, Puget sound. Departures—Steamers Willamette Valley, Yaquina bay; San Pedro, Tacoma, Columbia, Portland; Wilmington, Seattle; ships Joseph S. Spinney, State of Maine and Ericsson, Port Townsend; Topgallant, Port Blakeley; bark Fresno, Puget sound.

A Hotly Contested Election.

RIVERSIDE, April 9.—The city election was very hotly contested. Eight hundred and fifty-nine votes were cast. The officers elected were two trustees, clerk, treasurer and marshal. The contest was on saloon or no saloon, the city having been without for three months past. It will take several hours to complete the count. The probability is that most, if not all, the anti-saloon ticket is elected.

The Case of "Big Bertha."

SAN FRANCISCO, April 9.—The chief of police has received a telegram from Officer Gillen, at San Antonio, to the effect that "Big Bertha," confidence operator, and her accomplice Willis were remanded to his custody this morning by a local magistrate; but an appeal being taken, they were again given over to the sheriff to await action of the appellate court. This will take ten days' time.

Grand Lodge K. of P.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 9.—The twentieth annual session of the Grand Lodge of California Knights of Pythias convened this evening, Grand Chancellor Farrar presiding. The committee on credentials reported the grand officers, committees and delegates present, after which ranks were conferred on about 250 delegates. The grand lodge then adjourned until to-morrow.

A Dead Body Found.

BAKERSFIELD, April 9.—A French sheep man came in this afternoon, and reported that he had found the dead body of a man at White Wolf springs, twenty-four miles east of this place. The head was separated from the body, and at some distance from it. The remains were in an advanced state of decomposition. A justice of the peace has gone to investigate.

Passengers Carried.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 9.—F. H. Goodman, of the Southern Pacific Company, reports the following passengers carried during February:

	1st Class	2d Class	Total
Eastward	1,559	2,204	3,764
Westward	2,920	4,058	6,988
Total	4,500	6,272	10,772

Due to Criminal Carelessness.

LOS ANGELES, April 9.—In the inquest on the bodies of Jos. Westerfeld and Harry Brooks, engineer and fireman killed in the San Fernando collision, the jury returned a verdict fastening the blame on C. A. Upson, conductor of the construction train, and J. A. Westerfeld, the dead engineer, finding the accident due to their criminal carelessness.

The Chinese Frauds.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 9.—A. Hinz, who, by Boyd's confession, is placed in a very unenviable position in regard to the Chinese certificate frauds, was arraigned before Judge Hoffmann this morning. Hinz pleaded "not guilty," without prejudice to his right to demur or move for quashing the indictment within the next ten days.

Steamer Changes.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 9.—The steamer George W. Elder came off the dry dock today, and will proceed shortly to Victoria, to take the Idaho's place on the Alaska route. The Idaho will come to San Francisco and go on the dry dock for a general overhauling and repairs.

Thousand Dollars Reward.

GREENVILLE, March 9.—At a citizens' meeting last night it was resolved to offer a reward of $1000 for the conviction of the murderer of James Tennant, a miner, whose body was found in a prospect hole, with a bullet hole through the head.

Pearl Page.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 9.—The now notorious and celebrated Pearl Page, alias Mrs. Rose Bryan, arrived by the steamer Columbia to-day from Portland, and at once proceeded to the residence of her sister.

Death of Another Victim.

SAN BERNARDINO, April 9.—Cadori, the special policeman concerned in the quadruple shooting in the Club saloon some days ago, whereby two men were killed, died this morning.

OTHER COAST DISPATCHES.

A Mexican Land Grant.

NOGALES, A. T., April 9.—John A. Kruse, manager of the Sonora Land Company, has just received possession and deeds of 2,000,000 acres of land in the Montezuma, Arispea and Sahuaripa districts of Sonora, in concession for a contract to survey public lands in said state. The Mexican government, by survey, have defined 12,000,000 acres of lands heretofore unavailable owing to the clashing of interests of private possessions. Since the survey of Carlos Pacheco, the minister of public works has sold adjoining the Sonora land company's land three large tracts to the Schnetz Colonization Company, a French corporation, and the German minister to Mexico. The manager of the company is completing a survey of fruit lands in the Ures district. When finished it will give him privately half a million acres of the best orange land in the state.

Passenger Train Wrecked.

SALT LAKE, April 9.—Passenger train No. 10, eastbound, which left here overland last night, was wrecked this morning between Pleasant Valley Junction and Price, Emery county. The rails spread, letting the engine down. It turned over, and was followed by the tender and a couple of cars. Engineer Ben. Estes received a severe fracture of the frontal bone, and Fireman David Webb also narrowly escaped death. Both men were brought to this city. Estes' injuries are supposed to be fatal. Webb, in addition to sustaining a fracture of the wrist, was injured internally.

St. John in Southern Oregon.

MEDFORD, Or., April 9.—Ex-Gov. St John, of Kansas, arrived at Ashland at 5 o'clock. The train made a stop of thirty minutes, and an immense crowd was on the platform. He shook hands with a large number, and engaged in a friendly conversation with them, but declined to address the crowd. G. M. Miller, prohibition nominee for congress, who has opened the campaign in this valley, accompanies him to Roseburg and Eugene, where the governor speaks the 10th and 11th.

McMinnville Items.

MCMINNVILLE, Or., April 9.—The deed to the grounds for the new court house was signed to-day. It is for 200 by 180 feet on the northeast corner of E and First streets.

A republican club has been organized. Over one hundred names have been enrolled. They will hold a grand ratification meeting at the opera house Friday evening, to ratify the state nominations. Portland speakers will be present.

Milton to Have Water Works.

MILTON, Oregon, April 9.—The water works question was submitted to a vote of the people to-day, and carried by an overwhelming majority. A good substantial plant, for fire protection and domestic use, will be put in immediately.

Four Men Badly Hurt.

HOLBROOK, A. T., April 9.—The flues of a freight train blew out on the A. & P. road at Carrizo last night, injuring four men. The fireman and brakeman are not expected to live.

Boarding House Burned.

NEVADA, April 9.—A boarding house at the Denbo mine, near North Bloomfield, burned to the ground yesterday morning. The occupants had barely time to escape.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Crocker and Huntington.

VICTORIA, April 9.—The Crocker-Huntington party arrived at an early hour this morning from Comox, and took the Sound steamer for the South.

Fabrication of the keel, and various portions of the machinery for the new steel steamer for the Canadian Pacific railway, is now being carried on at the Esquimalt dockyard. The keel, which is to be 320 feet long, will be completed in a few days. The vessel will be launched in June, and will be ready for service in October. She will be fitted with triple engines, and will be capable of steaming 20 knots an hour. She will be used as a cruiser in time of war, and will be armed with guns of the latest pattern. She will be commanded by Capt. Bedford, R. N., who is now in charge of the Esquimalt dockyard. The vessel will be named the Empress of India.

OLD-WORLD POLITICS.

Speculation and Comment on the German Crisis.

A BANQUET TO MR. CHAMBERLAIN.

He Hopes the Fisheries Treaty will be Ratified —Boulanger Elected to the Deputies by a Big Majority.

BERLIN, April 9.—It is stated to-day that Prince Bismarck has abandoned his opposition to the marriage of Prince Alexander of Battenburg and Princess Victoria, having gained certain other concessions, and that all the differences between the emperor and Prince Bismarck are now settled.

The Empress Victoria and Princesses Victoria, Sophie and Margaret have started for Posen to inquire as to the condition of sufferers by the floods.

THE EMPRESS BOUND TO PREVAIL.

BERLIN, April 9.—The empress returned to Berlin this evening. The political crisis will probably become acute again shortly. The empress is determined to prevail, even if Bismarck has to resign.

The emperor, in decorating Dr. Mackenzie to-day, said: "When you came the first time I confided in you, as you were recommended by my German physicians. I have since had occasion in my own experience to value your capability. I am glad to bestow upon you this order, in thankful acknowledgment of your merits, and in memory of my accession to the throne."

THE EMPRESS AT POSEN.

BERLIN, April 9.—The empress arrived at Posen this afternoon. She was everywhere greeted with enthusiasm. The Polish leaders have issued a manifesto, asking the inhabitants of Posen to sink their national disputes and unite in welcoming the empress. In reply to a deputation which met her at the station in Posen, the Empress Victoria said that the emperor, regretting his inability to come himself, had sent her to examine as to the condition of affairs, and to report to him.

BISMARCK MUST RULE OR RESIGN.

BERLIN, April 9.—The *National Zeitung*, on the crisis arising from the proposed marriage of Prince Alexander and Princess Victoria, says: "It is certain that the chancellor has so far overcome all difficulties. It is equally certain he will retire from office if they recur without his being able to surmount them."

NOTES FROM BERLIN.

BERLIN, April 9.—The Rothschilds have donated $1500 and the Schroeders $3000 to a fund for the relief of the sufferers by the floods.

Prince Bismarck will go to Varzin on the 11th inst., which is his wife's birthday.

An address has been prepared for public signature at Leipsic, expressing an earnest wish of the people that Prince Bismarck shall not retire, and also confidence that the emperor will find means to avoid such an irreparable loss to Germany.

BOULANGER CHOSEN.

His Election a Matter of Surprise and Concern to Conservatives.

PARIS, April 9.—In the election yesterday to fill a vacancy in the chamber of deputies from the department of Dordogne, Gen. Boulanger was chosen. He received 59,500 votes, against 35,750 for Clerjonnie, the opportunist candidate. The result was unexpected, and it has increased the uneasiness of conservatives, who declare the Boulangist movement is a public danger, and urgent measures are demanded to upset it.

The Bonapartists assert the result in Dordogne proves that the country demands the dissolution of the chamber of deputies and a revision of the constitution. Boulanger refused to contest the seat for Dordogne, but his friends forwarded his name. *La Lanterne* says Gen. Boulanger will refuse to accept the seat, as he desires to sit for the department of Nord only.

A Letter from Boulanger.

PARIS, April 9.—Gen. Boulanger has written a letter to an elector of Dordogne, in which, after expressing thanks for his election by the people of that department, he says: "Your vote confirms the necessity of the dissolution of parliament and revision of the constitution. I have accepted the candidacy for Nord. On Monday next the vote of Nord will be added to yours in a fresh and significant protest in favor of a national republican policy."

The British Wine Tax Proposal.

PARIS, April 9.—Future, ex-under-secretary of state, has written to *Le Matin*, protesting against the proposal of the British government to place a tax on bottled wine. The tax, he says, will principally affect France. The levying of a tax, Favre claims, will not be justified, except under a strained interpretation of the convention of 1882. If the proposal is adopted reprisals by France will be necessary.

BANQUET TO CHAMBERLAIN.

Earl Granville Proposes a Toast, and the Guest Responds.

LONDON, April 9.—Earl Granville presided at a banquet given by the Devonshire Club to-night in honor of Mr. Chamberlain. Earl Granville, in proposing the toast of the evening, said he was glad to be able to congratulate Mr. Chamberlain on the result of his mission. His (Granville's) strongest political conviction had always been the importance of maintaining good relations between Great Britain and America. Although he had been the subject of the strongest attacks for his share of the responsibility of the Alabama settlement, he looked back upon its result with the utmost satisfaction. It was certain that if England had broken off the Alabama negotiations they would not have been assembled there to-day to congratulate Chamberlain on having brought his task so nearly to a successful issue. The whole liberal party could, on this occasion, unite in congratulating the conservatives on having adopted the liberal policy of conciliation and friendship toward America.

Chamberlain, on rising to reply, was loudly cheered. He thanked the company for the warmth of the reception of the toast in his honor, and said he appreciated fully the unique character of the gathering. He was glad to see so many of his old colleagues, from whom he had been temporarily dissociated. He gathered from their presence that every Englishman worthy of the name sympathized with the objects of his recent mission. Remarking upon the change of public opinion during the last century, he said it was curious to look back to the sincere opinions expressed by statesmen and writers at the time of the civil war, and to note their fears lest America should become a great and aggressive power, dangerous to the peace of the world. He spoke strongly in favor of confederation of the colonies, and again expressed his hope that the fisheries treaty would be ratified.

FROM CHINA AND JAPAN.

The Proposed Mail Service Between Hong Kong and Vancouver.

VANCOUVER, B. C., April 9.—The steamship Parthia arrived this afternoon from Yokohama, after a passage of thirteen days and fourteen hours. She brings 24 first-class, 10 second, 3 steerage passengers and 220 Chinese. Her cargo consists of 31,008 packages of general merchandise for this port and San Francisco. After discharging cargo here she will sail for San Francisco with the remainder and 113 of her Chinese passengers, Judge Hannon, of Yokohama, and his family are amongst the passengers.

At the annual meeting of the Hong Kong chamber of commerce, held on the 9th of March, a report was presented referring to the Cadadian Pacific steamship line. The report says: "A special meeting of the committee was held on the 27th of June last to consider a letter from the agents of the Canadian Pacific railway, with regard to the expediency of establishing a mail service between Hong Kong and Vancouver, to alternate with the existing P. & O. service, via Suez, and requesting that the home government might be placed in possession of the chamber's views before the 30th day of June, on which date the subject was to come up for discussion in parliament. The members are aware that when the subject of the new contract for eastern mail service was referred to the chamber in June, 1888, it was then decided that the proposed Canadian route was practically useless, so far as Hong Kong was concerned. On reconsideration of the question at one year later, your committee considered that a subsidiary special service via Pacific and Canada route would be advantageous to the mercantile public, and may engender active

THE POPE'S REPLY.

Thanking President Cleveland for His Jubilee Present.

BALTIMORE, April 9.—A special to the *Sun* from Washington says: "Pope Leo has sent a letter to President Cleveland, thanking him for his jubilee present, a copy of the constitution. The communication was handed the president by Cardinal Gibbons. The pope speaks of the great distinction of receiving from the ruler of a free people a gift which he had never expected to be sent him, and expressed appreciation of the appropriateness of the present. The pope wishes peace and prosperity, and prays for the American people and the country's perpetuation, their institutions of liberty, and the plenitude of God's favor.

REFERRED TO ARBITRATION.

The Dispute Between the United States and Morocco.

TANGIER, April 9.—An agreement was signed to-day by the Moorish minister of foreign affairs and Lewis, American consul, referring the dispute between the United States and Morocco to arbitration. The United States steamer Lancaster, which was expected here, sailed from Gibraltar to-day for Villa Franca.

CABLE NOTES.

To Annex the British West Indies.

OTTAWA, April 9.—It is rumored that the government contemplates the annexation of the British West India islands, in the event of negotiations for the annexation of Newfoundland being successful. The government is considering plans to enlage the West Indian trade, and to establish a regular line of steamers between the two countries.

Alive and Kicking.

DUBLIN, April 9.—*Freeman's Journal* says: "Balfour's foolish boast that the National League had been killed when pricked exploded like a bladder. The meeting held yesterday established conclusively that the league is alive and kicking.

A British Plot.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 9.—An inspired article in the *Graschdanin* says the Battenberg marriage project is a British plot to secure Prince Alexander's return to Bulgaria, to which Russia ought to reply in the mountains of Afghanistan.

Many Killed and Injured.

LONDON, April 9.—Forty persons were killed and about 500 injured by the tornado at Decannadaca, India, on Saturday last.

Budget Proposals Adopted.

LONDON, April 9.—The house of commons has adopted the budget proposals.

The Benson Land Frauds.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 9.—G. W. Baker was indicted by the federal grand jury some months ago for complicity in the Benson survey cases, but the indictments were quashed. Baker then brought suit against the government to recover sums of money on contracts alleged to have been performed. On Saturday he requested U. S. Attorney Carey to dismiss the suits, confessing that he never had a contract from the government, but Benson agreed to pay him $2500 for the use of his name as plaintiff. The Benson syndicate claim about $100,000 due on contracts in Baker's name.

Making Death Attractive.

CAMDEN, N. J., April 9.—The latest thing is a company organized here to conduct funerals and take pay on the installment plan. The capital is $100,000. The schedule furnishes five classes of funerals, at stated prices. Persons are allowed to prepare for the poorer burial of relatives or themselves, at a moderate cost, and in small payments, thus saving from 50 to 75 per cent under the ordinary price. Cemetery lots are sold at actual cost, and clubs are formed to draw for lots until each member has one.

Protest Against the Chinese Treaty.

MILLFORD, Mass., April 9.—The New England Methodist conference to-day unanimously adopted the report of the special committee, expressing indignation at the pending action by congress forbidding the landing of any Chinese except officials and public men. The conference resolved that the report be signed by the officers and forwarded to New England congressmen.

Arranging for the Democratic Convention.

ST. LOUIS, April 9.—W. H. Barnum, chairman of the democratic national committee, was in conference to-day with the local committee having in charge the preliminary arrangements for the national convention to be held here on June 5. All matters were freely discussed, and the great north nave of the Exposition building was selected as the place to hold the convention.

Two Trainmen Killed.

CHICAGO, April 9.—A special to the *Inter-Ocean* from Cariboo, Arizona, says: Last evening at 8:30 o'clock, as the west bound freight train on the Atlantic & Pacific railroad was nearing this place the engine was derailed, and it plunged down a steep embankment. Frank Ashton, the fireman, and John Bell, brakeman, were killed. The engineer jumped and escaped without injury. Ten cars were badly wrecked.

A Domestic Tragedy.

OMAHA, April 9.—Peter Bergo, a mechanic aged 47, last night cut his wife's throat from ear to ear with a razor, and then attempted suicide with the same weapon. Mrs. Bergo's wound is thought to be fatal, but the husband will probably recover. Jealousy is said to be the cause of the deed.

A New Speed Track.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 9.—Civil Engineer Newberry has completed surveys of a new speed track in Golden Gate park. The track will be one mile long and 100 feet wide. The contract for grading the road will be let soon, and the work will be completed within the next four months.

PRESS PITH.

Iowa prohibits beer, but she is not averse to selling John Barleycorn his materials.—*Philadelphia Inquirer.*

The following unique sign appears in Toccoa, Ga.: "Lamps fixed, razors honed, fresh oysters, Vienna bread, and tombstones."—*Columbus Enquirer-Sun.*

A Richmond sister says: "I am tired of so much talk about the woman question. We have had our way in the past and intend to have it in the future."—*Richmond Religious Herald.*

It does not follow that a man is honest because he is poor. On the contrary, a thief is apt to have hard luck. It is rumored that Kentucky's great defaulter had to get to Canada on a pass.—*New Orleans Picayune.*

Room for improvement: Minister—"And do you expect to be a lawyer when you grow up, like your father, Bobby?" Bobby—"Yes, sir; I expect to be a lawyer, but ma hopes I won't be one like pa."—*The Epoch.*

Douglass Jerrold was once asked by an intolerable bore who affected to be a poet of the Milton school, whether he had read his "Descent Into Hell." "No, sir," responded the irate wit, "but I should like to see it."—*Philadelphia Call.*

An infant was crying fretfully in his mother's arms in a street car the other day, when she turned to a man at her side with the request of: "Will you place to look cross at him, sor; he'll think it's his father and kape shtill."—*New York Tribune.*

The treasury department uses 18,000 towels a month, and yet the surplus is not wiped out.—*Puck.* Seems as if using so many towels as that ought to diminish the "soap" —does it not? But perhaps a financial crash is necessary.—*Boston Commercial Bulletin.*

Disappointed amateur author—"I have just received my drama back with thanks. I have sent poems, essays and stories, but everything gets returned. What can I send that will meet with acceptance?" Sympathetic and practical friend—"Try a twelve-months' subscription."—*Life.*

An Expensive Lesson.

Philadelphia Record.

It cost a heap of money to teach Mr. Powderly that a strike was a desperately poor and ineffectual remedy for low wages. There is no way open to the wit of man to permanently advance wages except to do better work or to cheapen the cost of living.

Turkish rugs will be sold at auction to-day at 199 First street, beginning at 10:30 A. M.

For loans, bonds or stocks, see Shiloh's Forum Block, S. E. Salisbury & Co.

THE LATEST COAL FIND.

Flattering Reports from Green Mountain, Washington County.

HILLSBORO, April 9.—Since notifying you of the find of coal near Green Mountain, on the head of Dairy creek, above the old Quick farm, Mr. S. J. Raffety says that the whole of Green mountain seems to be largely composed of coal, as it crops out and can be easily traced on both sides of the mountain. The largest prospect yet found is where it crops out on the north side in a canyon tributary of Pebble creek, near the old Meacham road. The croppings show a surface of five feet deep and 158 feet broad. Of course the water prohibited the digging down to see how deep the ledge does go. Persons claiming to be experts declare the coal to be first-class and from every indication, taking the miles of outcroppings, there can be no question of quantity. Settlers living in the vicinity say that a railroad running up by the old Quick mill would have as level a country to cross as anywhere out on the plains, and only two and a half miles of mountains to cross that would give any trouble, and none of this any worse than the road on the west side coming out from Portland; that a detour of one and a quarter miles around the end of Long mountain would give an easy grade, and that the whole route present no obstacles worse than trees, brush and logs, the surface of the route being good, but looks terrific on account of these last named obstacles. Settlers are fast taking up this mountain country, until now there is almost a continuous settlement from the plains to Pebble creek and the Nehalem river valley.

A railroad from Hillsboro running to Astoria could be built as cheaply as the same number of miles of road on the O. C. R. R west side from Portland out, and would pay more clear profit. The immense coal deposits and magnificent timber interests are equal to any on the Sound or any other place, while these commodities could find shipment at Astoria for California and other ports; while Portland would be the central depot for the whole Eastern market; while the quantity of wheat shipped to Astoria to load and finish loading would be as large as the amount shipped to Portland, and the Portland road would gain by the amount of coal and lumber sent to Portland for the east of the mountain trade. Cars loaded with coal or lumber at the mills or coal mines, with the completion of the railroad bridge at Portland, would not have to be unloaded until they reach their destination, if it was across the continent. C.

Able to Go Alone.

New Haven News.

Brown—Ain't this awful? I don't see how I'm going to get the rest of the way home. I've lost my breath three or four times already.

Smith—Don't let that worry you, old man; it's strong enough to take care of itself.

Queer Ideas of Comparative Modesty.

Norwich Bulletin.

Zola was once compelled to remain in bed a week because his clothes were in pawn. We shouldn't think that a man who writes such books as Zola does would stay indoors for the lack of such an inconsequential thing as a suit of clothes.

There Would be Some on the Plate.

Judge.

Minister's Wife—Richard, I wish you'd give me money to buy some buttons for the children's clothing.

Minister—Wait until after Sunday, my dear; I'm going to ask the congregation at that time for an extra collection.

Languages Taught.

Mrs. Hayseed—What's the meanin' of MDCCCLXXXVIII on the new school building, John?

Mr Hayseed—Durned if I knuw. I suppose it's some of this new-fangled language called Volapuk. I hear they're teachin' it in the schools.

A Friendly Suggestion to Mr. Cleveland.

Memphis Appeal.

Now that the telephone cases are finally and forever disposed of there is nothing to prevent President Cleveland from appointing Attorney-General Garland to the vacant chief justiceship of the supreme court of the United States.

Fond and Foolish.

Punch.

Edwin (suddenly, after a long pause)—Darling! Angelina—Yes, darling? Edwin—Nothing, darling. Only darling, darling! Bilious old gentleman, who overhears the conversation, feels quite sick.

Family Matters.

Brown—I have always understood, Dumley, that Lumley was a friend of yours?

Dumley—Friend, naw. He's a relative.

ELECTRICITY PARTIES.

(From "Stella's" Letter to the Northwest.)

"The latest fad among the girls is the electricity party. We go in parties of four, usually three girls and a chaperone, and I fill the latter position with great success. Every other aftern

BOARD OF TRADE.

Report on the Joint Lease Pre-pared by the Committee.

Steps Looking Toward the Withdrawal of the Petition that is to Be Discussed Two Weeks Hence—Other Matters.

A meeting of the board of trade was held last evening President Donald in the chair.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Letters from Senators Dolph and Mitchell and Hermann were read, acknowledging the receipt of communications addressed to them in regard to the opening of the Sioux reservation, the tariff on wool, lumber, etc., and expressing their willingness to assist in carrying out the wishes of the board in these matters, filed.

Letter from Gen. Sherman acknowledging the receipt of a letter sent by the board asking for the appointment of an illustrated correspondent for the Potomac Farmer, referred to committee on immigration.

Letter from Gen. Sheridan, stating that persons were pro-vided for the board by Messrs. Williams & Wood, Mr. Northup, Dolph, Bel-lamy & Co., A. L. Maxwell, W. Barnes & Co., Chas. B. Dullr-Kurtis, Lounsdale & Molson, John D. Wilcox and C. F. Pear-son, subjects of the board.

Letter from Gen. Sheridan to Col. John Mc-Donald, chief engineer who lately visited Oregon, relative to the joint lease, for a copy of the same.

REPORT ON THE JOINT LEASE.

Mr. Failing said owing to the very clear statement made by Mr H. W. Corbett to-day, it was not at first thought that any report should be made on the matter, but it was finally considered that a formal report should be made and which it may be here stated has already existed on the Oregon Railway & Navigation and Oregon Short Line—Mr. Villard will also use his influence to obtain this concession from the Northern Pacific.

Mr. Villard stated that the first necessity for the promotion of his plans for the further improvement and development of the country was money. And it was necessary that he should leave for Germany immediately to procure the necessary funds—that he did not ask the Portland directors of the O. R. & N. Company to approve the lease until they were satisfied that his plans were for the best interests of all concerned—but he did ask those who were instrumental in the injunction proceedings to withdraw the suit, as it would interfere with his financial operations, upon which all his plans were based; he could not ask his German friends to put their money into a law suit. That he would pledge his word that no advantage should be taken of the withdrawal of the suit, and he simply asked the necessary time to perfect his plans to convince the people of Portland that his efforts would result beneficially to the whole Northwest.

Mr. Adams stated that after careful consideration of the subject in all its bearings he had become an advocate of the joint lease as the only means of preventing a war of rates which would be more or less disastrous to all the companies, parties to that instrument retarding improvement and further development and causing the best interests of the country to suffer thereby; that in aggressive railroad war he would rather meet any other condition than that of a bankrupt road, which was without responsibility and had simply its operating expenses to maintain. The objection urged to the joint lease based, upon the supposed concession of territory north of Snake river was not well taken, as ample provision was made for a fair division of the traffic in article 5 and subdivision 3 of that instrument, which is as follows:

"The Short Line Company and the Northern Company have also covenanted and agreed, as between themselves, and they do hereby covenant and agree, each to and with the other, that freight traffic shall be so arranged that such traffic, to and from points on the main line, or any present or future tributaries or feeders of said main line of the Northern Company between Snake river and Lake Pend d'Oreille, including said Columbia & Palouse railroad and its branches, from or to Portland, shall, unless specially otherwise consigned, be transported over the line of the Oregon Company; and no inducements or efforts shall be made to divert such traffic from said last mentioned line."

In reply to a remark that the Northern Pacific, having its employes in the operating department in that section of country, would violate with impunity the provisions of the article recited above, he said that a violation either in letter or spirit of any of the provisions of the joint lease would render it void, and the way that all were so anxious to avoid would be precipitated at once, and the building of roads north of Snake river by the O. R. & N. Co. would be pushed forward with all the force at its command.

Nor did Mr. Adams believe that violations of the joint lease could be carried on covertly without detection by the traffic department of the O. R. & N. Co. and the various agents and representatives of Portland business firms in that section of country.

Your committee was also much gratified to hear from Mr. Harris, president of the Northern Pacific, an expression of very broad views as to the rights of shippers under the interstate commerce act. Referring to the preference given to Wickes on ore rates, for the reason that ores shipped to Wickes are smelted and reshipped over the Northern line, he said, that theory might have answered as a railroad proposition twenty years ago, but would not at this late day bear the test of the interstate law, that each transaction must rest squarely upon its own conditions without reference to what might follow. The tonnage of the Northern Pacific managers was conciliatory and a strong desire expressed for a portion of Portland's business.

From careful observation your committee are led to believe that Mr. Villard has again become the central figure in the control of the Northern Pacific and O. R. & N. Companies, and the general sentiment prevailing in both boards is one of respect and confidence towards him. It seems eminently proper then that this board give expression to its sentiment in regard to one who has in the past been a staunch friend of our city and whose present efforts are directed to the development and improvement of the Northwest. Therefore, your committee offer the following resolutions and ask their adoption:

Resolved, That the board of trade of the city of Portland has undiminished confidence in Mr. Henry Villard, who has ever been up for our city and its business interests, in his promises and plans for the future improvement and development of the Northwest coast; and in their prosecution this board desires to render him its moral support, and will use its influence to have the injunction suit in the matter of the joint lease, which tends to embrass enterprises and retard their operation, withdrawn.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions signed by the president of the board and attested by the secretary, under its seal, be forwarded to Mr. Villard.

Respectfully submitted,

J. McCRAKEN,
WM. S. SIBSON.

Mr. Earhart moved that the resolutions be adopted.

Mr. Goldsmith thought it would be better to take time for consideration of this matter.

Mr. Dodd moved to lay on the table.

President Macleay said he would prefer to have the resolution submitted at a special meeting called for that purpose, and of which due notice should be given, that there might be a full attendance.

The motions to adopt and to lay on the table were withdrawn and a motion by Mr. Lownsdale that when the board adjourns, it adjourn for two weeks was carried.

CAPT. POWELL COMMENDED.

Mr. F. K. Arnold offered the following resolutions:

WHEREAS, Capt. Charles F. Powell, of the United States engineer corps, after a residence of nearly nine years in Oregon, nearly seven of which have been spent in Portland, has been ordered away to assume charge of important engineering works in the East; and

WHEREAS, During his entire stay here Capt. Powell has been actively engaged in a skillful and vigorous prosecution of valuable internal improvements made by the general government; and

WHEREAS, This board has always found Capt. Powell courteous and obliging in furnishing information and it freely tendering his aid in carrying out our plans for the public good and a faithful and efficient steward in the care and disbursement of the funds which we have intrusted to him for dredging the rivers; therefore, be it

Resolved, By the board of trade of Portland, Or., that we deeply regret the military necessity which calls Capt. Powell from among us.

Resolved, That we tender to Capt. Powell our hearty good wishes for his health and happiness in the new scene of his activities, and that we earnestly hope that he may there find and make friends as warm as those he leaves behind.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions, over the seal of the board, be presented to Capt. Powell.

Mr. Dodd moved that the resolutions be properly engrossed and framed and then presented, and with this amendment the resolutions were adopted.

THE NEGLEY BILL ENDORSED.

Capt. Allen Noyes offered the following preamble and resolutions:

WHEREAS The foreign shipping interest of this country is in a great state of depletion, and

WHEREAS, Our foreign-going ships are fast disappearing through loss, and expiration of class, and

WHEREAS, There are no new ships building, for the want of proper legislation to stimulate and make the business profitable, and

WHEREAS, The foreign shipping industry should be one of the principal industries of the country, as no country can be truly prosperous without a foreign shipping industry, commensurate with its resources and other industries, and

WHEREAS, There is now a bill called the Negley or bounty bill, looking to the recuperating of this industry; be it

Resolved, That it is the sense of this board that that bill should become a law, and that our secretary be instructed to memorialize our representatives and senators in congress to that effect, and that they be urged to use all legitimate means to that end.

Mr. Laidlaw said this was a very important matter, and moved that the resolution be laid over till next meeting.

Mr. Kapus said he hoped the motion would not prevail. The bill was to aid in building up an American industry. He thought every one could support it.

Mr. Dodd said every year the number of American ships was growing smaller. He liked to see the others coming in, but he would like to see the stars and stripes better. He asked the immediate passage of the resolution.

Capt Noyes said, "we are losing our foreign shipping interests altogether; we are paying out millions yearly to carry our products abroad. If we had a navy created tonight, we could not find men in our merchant marine to man it." Warming with his subject the veteran captain made a most eloquent speech which evoked loud applause.

Mr. Laidlaw withdrew his motion and the resolution was adopted. Adjourned.

IS HE TASCOTT?

Arrest of the Supposed Murderer of Snell of Chicago—A Petty Swindler.

Yakima Republic.

Sunday City Marshal Leach saw a suspicious-looking young man whose description tallied with that of the fugitive Tascott, who is supposed to have murdered millionaire Snell, of Chicago, a few months since. The fact that a reward of $10,000 is offered for the apprehension of Tascott has sharpened the wits of every detective in the country and put him on the qui vive. Marshal Leach shadowed his man all day Sunday and saw him take the west bound train in the evening.

Soon the man discovered the marshal was watching him and evidently intending to throw him off his guard he came out on the platform and spoke to the marshal as a stranger might, but just as the train was pulling out he made for the hind platform, saying he would take a run up to Ellensburg and come back in the morning. "Not much," quietly said Leach, as he collared the man and pointed his pistol in dangerous proximity to his ear, "I need you in my business." The man, who gave his name as Clarke, quickly submitted to the arrest, saying that he knew what he was "pulled" for, and that it was for the murder of Snell. He said he was told in Spokane he would be taken for the murderer by his likeness to Tascott. The prisoner was taken to jail and the marshal, by the light of a lamp, made an examination that convinced him he had the right man.

Subsequently it was learned that Clarke, under the assumed name of Settler, professing to be the stranded son of a preacher, had swindled Rev. Mr. Golding out of ten dollars. Marshal Leach had a warrant sworn out against the prisoner on charge of obtaining money under false pretenses, which will hold him long enough at least to fully determine whether or not he is Tascott.

Telegrams were received, quite a number, regarding the man, one being from the chief of police of Minneapolis, who wanted to know why "W. A. Clark" was held in jail. Another telegram from Detective Arnstein, of Chicago, then at Butte, stated he would arrive to examine the man on Thursday. Judge Morford is attorney for the prisoner and an interesting legal fight is likely to ensue. Should Clarke, alias Settler, prove to be the much hunted Tascott, Marshal Leach will receive $10,000 for the mere arrest and detention, not having to wait for conviction, which is the usual case in rewards for criminals.

THE COURTS.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT.

Court convened pursuant to law. Present: Hon. Lorenzo Sawyer, United States circuit judge, presiding; Hon. Matthew P. Deady, United States district judge; Mr. Lewis L. McArthur, United States attorney; John Myers, United States marshal, and R. H Lamson, clerk.

Clerk's Report—Report of clerk of funds in registry, showing due amount to be $1360 52, presented and ordered filed.

Zan Bros. vs. Feldman & Co.; argued and submitted.

STATE CIRCUIT NO. 1.

Charles Jacobs vs. J. L. Knott; judgment by default against defendant for $134 15.

M. A. M. Ashley vs. Mark A. Miller; judgment allowed on the verdict

Charles R. Rumelin vs. Mark A. Miller; same.

H. L. Pittock vs. John B. Garrison; motion to strike out parts of answer and answer to demurrer argued and submitted.

Jorgen Jorgensen vs. Joseph Delay; motion for a new trial submitted.

Wm. Druck vs. Adolph Nicolai; judgment on the verdict.

COUNTY.

Estate of Herman Steinberg; final report filed and Tuesday, May 15, set for settlement.

Estate of Mary Steelman; R. G. Combs appointed administrator with bonds at $1000 and J. E. Bond, Louis Wochatz and Charles Wochatz appraisers. Mrs. Steelman died August 17, 1887, and left an estate valued at $478 11.

Estate of Rudolph V. Lundblad; order authorizing the sale of real estate.

TWO SINGERS.

"Would I could sing a song," a poet said,
"And let the tears that all earth's suffering ones have shed
Run trembling down my voice,
With children's cries when happy hours are sped,
And strong men's sighs at some neglected choice,
And stifled groans of all the world's oppressed,
And madmen's laughter mingled with the rest—
Then would immortal fame to me belong,
All men could hear their own lives' echoes in my song!"

"Ah! why should men weep twice," another said,
"First o'er a wrong, then at the wrong remembered?
Oh! let me sing instead
A glorious strain that will make men forget
Life's wounds and scourges and its black regret,
And long for Heaven with such intensity
That Heaven in their own hearts will come to be;
Time's mighty hammers might assail in vain—
They could not beat to lasting silence that refrain!"
—*Catholic World.*

The Lessons of "Unser Fritz" Case.

The greatest doctors in Europe don't seem to know what ails "Unser Fritz."

Thus are the Garfield and Grant episodes repeated, and public confidence in "expert" medical knowledge is again shaken.

The effect is a revulsion.

Since the fatal days of 1883 many of the doctrines of the schoolmen concerning extensive medication have been abandoned, and all schools of practice are more and more relying upon old-fashioned simple root and herb preparations and careful nursing—the only reliances known to our ancestors.

These methods and reliances are illustrated today in a series of old-fashioned roots and herbs preparations recently given to the world by the well known proprietor of Warner's safe cure—preparations made from formulæ possessed by many of our oldest families—and rescued for popular use, and issued under the happy designation of Warner's Log Cabin Remedies

"My son," exclaimed a venerable woman to the writer when he was a boy "my son, you're yeller and pale and weak like lookin', you'r needin' a good shaking up with some sas'paril."

The jug of spring sarsaparilla was just as necessary in the "winter supplies" of fifty years ago as was a barrel of pork, and a famous medical authority says that the very general prevalence of the use of such a preparation as Log Cabin Sarsaparilla explains the rugged health of our ancestors.

While Warner's Log Cabin Sarsaparilla is an excellent remedy for all seasons of the year, it is particularly valuable in the spring, when the system is full of sluggish blood and requires a natural constitutional tonic and invigorator to resist colds and pneumonia, and the effects of a long winter. Philo M. Parsons, clerk of the City Hotel of Hartford, Conn., was prostrated with a cold which, he says, "seemed to settle through my body. I neglected it and the result was my blood became impoverished and poisoned, indicated by inflamed eyes. I was treated but my eyes grew worse. I was obliged to wear a shade over them. I feared that I would be obliged to give up work." "Under the operation of Warner's Log Cabin Sarsaparilla and Liver Pills," he says, "the sore and inflamed eyes disappeared. My blood, I know, is in a healthier condition than it has been for years. I have a much better appetite. I shall take several more bottles for safety's sake. Warner's Log Cabin Sarsaparilla is a great blood purifier and I most heartily recommend it."

A few bottles of Warner's Log Cabin Sarsaparilla used in the family now will save many a week of sickness and many a dollar of bills. Use no other. This is the only great thoroughly tested, and best, is put up in the largest sarsaparilla bottle on the market, containing 120 doses. There is no other preparation of similar name that can equal it. The name of its manufacturers is a guarantee of its superior worth.

While the great doctors wrangle over the technicalities of an advanced medical science that can not cure disease, such simple preparations yearly snatch millions from untimely graves.

GRADUATING EXERCISES.

Twenty-third Commencement, Medical Department, Willamette University.

Five New Doctors of Medicine Receive Diplomas
Dr. Alfred Kummer's Interesting Address to the Class—The Valedictory.

Last night the twenty-third annual commencement exercises of the medical department of Willamette University were held at Taylor-street M. E. church, and five young men—Henry S. Goddard, M. J. Patton, D. M. Brown, J. S. Smith and D. B. Amick, received their diplomas and went, as the valedictorian, Dr. Patton, expressed it, "hence with the prize for which they have so zealously labored these long years."

The church was crowded. After prayer by Rev. G. W. Simpson, of The Dalles, and an overture by the orchestra, Rev. Alfred Kummer delivered the commencement address, his subject being "The Physician in His Relation to Body, Mind and Spirit"

THE COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS.

Rev. Dr. Kummer spoke as follows:

The grandest creation in this universe is man When, by the bond of the new creation, he is united to the throne of God he then stands above angels and archangels in the scale of existence The need of this age, as of every age, is manhood, manly men Men who are going on to perfection. Not men whose intellectual accomplishments have made them arrogant, in whom the milk of human kindness has curdled; or men who, on the other hand, cultivate the sensibilities, the heart powers, to the neglect of popular education. A true man, such as this world needs in these present era, is one who, in his intellectual powers and training, shines like a star of the first magnitude, and who at the same time is noted for the goodness, purity and incorruptibility of his life; a man who thinks and prays, who believes and acts; a man who has a sound mind in a sound body, and all transfused by the spirit of God. This age demands such men.

There is everywhere a point of contact between the physical and spiritual, between mind and matter I am aware that great souls and royal intellects are sometimes enshrined in very poor tenements; but a glorious family of faculties finds its true sphere and home in a palace, a granite or marble palace of a body. He, therefore, who can improve the soul's tenement and make it a more effective instrument of the spirit within, is a benefactor Steam must have an engine, electricity must have a suitable wire, so the spirit needs a sound body. The body is to the mind what the soil is to the plant, its health and vigor; or, again changing our figure, the body is the groundwork, the base upon which the intellectual structure rests, if it rest at all.

As Bishop Warren says: "The man within must work with hands, eyes,—the body, as a carpenter, with tools. With these tools we make other tools with which to pulverize the granite mountains, set the iron flowing in limpid rivers, harden it into steel, trample the rough seas into smooth paths, and use the swift lightning for a post-horse. Many men seem to think it a mistake that we were put into bodies at all, but it is the highest wisdom. Do we really remember how much any physical accomplishment signifies—to shoot well with a rifle, handle a pencil or needle, blow a flute, write from fifty to seventy words a minute on a writing machine, or touch thirty notes a second perfectly observant of time, chord, and spiritual expression?"

In view of what the body can do, if not for higher reasons, we ought to care for it and regard it with reverence. The sweet singer of Israel had and prized a right hand of cunning, skillful to play the harp and strong enough to break with ease a bow of steel, or send the pebble like a thunderbolt crashing through the brain of God's Philistian enemies. A greater than the psalmist said: "Know ye not that ye are the temple of God and that the spirit of God dwelleth in you? If any man defile the temple of God, him will God destroy. For the temple of God is holy, which temple ye are."

We need to be reminded again and again that the body is under law, that obedience to law means health. If you kill the body by inactivity; if you clog its machinery by food; if you poison it with tobacco or alcohol; if you burn it up in the fires of passion; if you defile it by sin of any kind, you not only destroy the most delicate and wondrous piece of machinery of the Divine Architect, but you sin against the man who lives in the body, and who, for the time being, is limited in his functions by the body. Here is the common meeting place of the physician and minister. He who administers the remedy to the sin-polluted soul and brings it into harmony with the laws of its being aids in healing the body, in making men well physically; and he who, by his material remedies, brings the rose of health back again into the faded cheek, makes possible the higher activities of the spirit, and and affords the means of the nobler joys of spiritual life. The physician and minister, if they are sensible men and devoted to their patients, will clasp hands.

Brain must have muscle; without muscle, brain is like unchained lightning, fitful and wild. It may sparkle for a while, but its fire will be self-consuming, its light glimmering and uncertain, its powers warped and unmanageable. But, if the brain and spirit be connected with a body whose every pulse is a throb of health, all whose wants are carefully supplied, and whose delicate machinery is kept in motion with as little friction as possible—there will not simply be power, but such accuracy, self-reliance, energy and vivacity as are never found in an unsound, diseased body. These are the facts which give sacredness and loftiness to the calling of the physician. We have our treasures in earthen vessels, and for these vessels it will be your mission in life to care.

It is said of Robert Pollok, a prince of Scottish bards, that he was gifted with an intellect that had in it much of Cowper's sweetness and of Milton's grandeur; but when, in the twenty-eighth year of his age, he had completed his inimitable "Course of Time," he had also exhausted his vital energies and his body sank into the grave the same year in which his immortal work was given to the world. The poet not inaptly sings:

Unconquered powers the immortal mind displayed,
But, worn with anxious thought, the frame decayed—
Pale, o'er his lamp and his cell retired,
The martyr student faded, and expired.

The physician needs not only to understand the laws of that nebulous border-land where spirit touches upon matter, but he needs to have the manliness and honesty to tell his patients the truth with reference to their ailments, and prescribe for them accordingly.

Many, doubtless, like the prince of Scottish bards, sacrifice their lives on altars as pure as that upon which he laid his devoted life, and we have respect and sympathy for such persons. But by far the greater number of physical wrecks are the result not of over-study and hours spent "o'er midnight oil" but of other and far less excusable violations of physiological and hygienic laws. Behold upon our streets the long lines of sallow, sunken-eyed, lantern-jawed youth and young men, puffing poison-us cigarettes. In Germany, where men must be trained for the army, cigarettes are banished by stringent laws from the kingdom. Look at the fiery eyes and open, reeking mouths, sending out the steam of the volcanic fires of alcohol, behold the filth and squalor of multitudes in the great centers of population; remember the tyranny of Parisian and American fashions; the gluttony and fast life of American society, and you see at once that the true physician must be a preacher and reformer as well as a physician, and that the minister of the gospel, like his Master, must be a physician; that medicine for both body and soul is indispensable.

The quaint, eccentric Dio Lewis was one of these honest physicians A red-nosed toper one day, came to him for treatment. Dr. Lewis made a thorough diagnosis of his case, and then gave him a prescription by which the toper was directed to take large doses of protoxide of hydrogen, and no other drink for several months; when the toper found from the druggist that protoxide of hydrogen was simply water, he was enraged, and found another physician whose prescriptions were more on the "bitters" line, and far more palatable to his perverted tastes.

In your diagnoses, young gentlemen, I hope it may be your good fortune often to locate the origin of disease in the spirit; the diseases that you are to cure are, indeed, all in the body, but their origin is often in the spirit; and, therefore, patiently, tenderly, but firmly, unwaveringly, you must seek to dry up that fountain of disease. Here scalpel and surgery, and all the remedies of materia medica will be in vain; no probe can reach to the bottom of this fountain; no remedy known to the science of medicine is a specific; here your spirit as a Christian and a philosopher must confront the spirit of a fellow-mortal, and you must know how to deal with men as men. After a few years experience, if you ever rise to the top of your profession, you will find that there is far more in this view of your profession than you can now realize.

In this view of the physician's calling, thus briefly outlined; in view of the intimate union of the body with the mind and spirit of man, and their correlated influences, the physician may well stagger at the responsibilities of his calling, and the vast field of research and experiment upon which the graduate enters. How fitting to call these exercises "Commencement Exercises." If, my friends, you are conscientious, if you have adequate conception of your calling, you will be humble, and your very soul will cry out: "Who is sufficient for these things?" And more; you will go to your books, to the laboratory, to the dissecting room, determined that life shall not be lost through your stupidity and want of honest, painstaking, technical culture.

Your life must be one of toil. You are servants in a peculiar and sacred sense. You need not only general but technical education. It is all the better if you have first had elementary training; then a classical education in some university; then a thorough course in just such a medical school as the one from which you graduate to-night. But beyond all this, remember that technique is carried still further. In the years to come you are to take special courses in the schools where the eye, or lungs, or ear, or the other organs of the body are made a specialty. Higher and higher are the requirements being placed for the ministry, for the teacher, and for the physician. Unless you meet these requirements you cannot expect to be called into families of culture, which afford the most pleasant and lucrative practice. I repeat it, all your life long must you be students; you must buy books and take medical journals, even if you have less bread and coarser clothing; you dare not trifle, and sell your skill to those who will sometimes bid high for it, even if you are never rich. The strong probability is that you will never be rich; and I mean that as a compliment. But such you must, if you hope to succeed. Can a Michael Angelo carve the angel from the resisting block of marble, and never stop to sharpen his tools or to reflect upon his ideal? Will Raphael paint the human face divine with careless hand. Will Milton sing, in matchless strains,

Of man's first disobedience and the fruit
Of that forbidden tree, whose mortal taste
Brought death into the world with all our woes,

and spend no time in close and painful thought?

No more can you go into the physical and moral charnel houses of this world and bring order out of disorder, beauty out of ashes, health from disease, life out of the very jaws of death, without being conscientious, scientific, persistent students.

The more inadequate your earlier training may have been the more necessary your future industry. The institutions of the east are sending out men with magnificent qualifications, into your chosen field, and many of them are coming west. We hail their coming. When we call physicians into our homes, when they stand at the bedside of our loved ones, when life and death are trembling in the balance, the question then is not, "Does the physician belong to this school or that? Is he an eastern or western man? Does he belong to my church, or to some other, or, is he a Godless man?" Paramount to all these questions is the simple question of skill; is he a skillful and successful practitioner?

Methodist minister as I am, on the principle just named, I once called a Catholic physician into my home (a Methodist parsonage) to take my children through that dreaded disease, scarlet fever. Our gratitude to that Catholic physician is only second to our gratitude to our Heavenly Father for healing our loved ones, and keeping our happy family circle unbroken. So, we hail men of skill; of broad culture; men who feel that medicine is their business, their life-work, and who enjoy their business not so much for the money it brings them as for an innate love and adaptability.

I cannot close this address without saying a few additional words about piety as an element in the character of a physician. Piety is forever the crowning element in noble manhood. Faith, hope and love are the three great moral faculties, a triad of powers, which pre-eminently distinguish man from all other creatures, and connect him with the fountain of all perfections. If the minister should be pious, so should this man who comes into the sacred precincts of home, who is to share its secrets, and minister to its needs; he too must be a man "with clean hands and a pure heart." I hold it to be a psychological law that no man is truly educated who neglects his religious nature. Tom Paine was a great reader, but he read to scoff at truth and God. A young man may be able to write beautifully, but if he employs the imitative art in forgery, shall we call him educated? Religious training is always directive. The faculties of the mind are the fire, water, engine, but the man, if there be a man, stands at the throttle-valve. Education is the development of pre-existing faculties; it cannot produce new ones; it cannot change the essential nature. Culture will improve the potato but will never make an apple of it. You need not hope to do everything yourself; you need God. Attrition, polishing will make the diamond sparkle with beauty, but can never endow it with life. Education is culture, development, but to change the nature is the gift of God. If you have that you have the topmost quality.

Here, then, we see the true physician; he is a man who knows the "human frame divine;" knows it in all its several parts, and in the complicated relations of all its parts; knows it organically and functionally; knows it in its relations to the immortal spirit that looks out of its windows; he regards the body as the chrysalis of the soul; a chrysalis, however, itself endowed with life; he is, therefore, a metaphysician as well as a physician; a psychologist as well as physiologist; in his honesty and bravery, he is a moral as well as a physical surgeon, and will cut off a bad moral habit by plain dealing with his patient, as readily as he would amputate a limb, and he will do the former as skillfully as the latter. With it all, the physician will be a pure man. Treading, as he does, amid the mysteries of pain and sorrow; dealing with the mechanisms of the Creator; having multitudes of opportunities to speak a comforting or soul-enlivening word; to bruce up the spirit for a severe physical shock; often closing the eyes in death; standing nearer the sufferer, and to bleeding hearts than even the minister; what good may he do, if he have the spiritual qualifications. May what Whittier says be realized by you all:

That healing gift He lends to them
Who use it in His name;
The power that filled His garment's hem
Is overmore the same.

For, lo, in human hearts unseen
The healer dwelleth still,
And they who makes His temples clean
They best subserve His will.

The paths of sin are thine. Go forth
With patience, trust and hope.
The sufferings of a sin-sick earth
Shall give thee ample scope.
Beside the untrodden mysteries
Of life and death, go, stand,
With guarded lips and reverent eyes,
And pure of heart and hand.

So shalt thou be with power endued
From Him who went about
The Syrian hillsides doing good,
And casting demons out.

That Good Physician liveth yet
Thy friend and guide to be.
The Healer by Gennesaret
Shall walk the rounds with thee.

DEGREES CONFERRED.

The graduates were then formed in a line in front of the pulpit and received their diplomas from Professor Thomas Van Scoy, president of Willamette University, who welcomed them into the medical profession, its labors, responsibilities, and rewards.

DR. HALL'S CHARGE.

The charge to the class was made by Dr. C. H. Hall who greeted the young men as "an integral part of a noble brotherhood, who in the practice of that one grand object, recognize no distinction of country, race or creed but bind up the wounds and assuage the griefs or pains of the rich or poor, ruler and ruled, Christian and pagan, friend and foe alike." He then spoke of the omnipresence of disease, the relations of the human living body with material objects and immaterial forces and said "complete study of the living man in health and disease involves a thorough study not only of structure and function but more or less of every element and force with which he stands in constant relation." He continued: "The time has been where medical studies embraced little else than fanciful theories and arbitrary dogmas of a few leading minds each of which became for the time being, the founder of a sect whose followers constructed a pathy thereon consisting of a forged or fraudulent name, behind which pretending charlatans intrenched themselves for mercenary purposes. No scientific physician has a pathy, and there is no pathist in the world true to his pathy. Science cannot be bound down by the musty garments and dry bones of canonized teachers." Dr. Hall spoke of the benefits of associated action, which, as has been truly and tersely said, constitutes the characteristic and predominating power of the age in which we live. In conclusion he said: "Stand, then, in literature, in science and culture abreast with the heroes of this heroic age. Address yourselves with conscientious earnestness to your life work. Be faithful to your mission in service, and then a golden chaplet shall be thy great reward."

THE VALEDICTORY.

The valedictorian of the class was Dr. Patton, who considered the degree of M D., conferred upon each member of the class, the "beginning of their professional career, a mere stepping stone to the knowledge and skill which must be after acquired. We are well aware of the existing prejudice against employing other than aged and experienced practitioners; hence the newly made doctor is reluctantly compelled to lay aside his razor, don the eye-glasses and assume an appearance of age and wisdom. In the midst of this session the fell destroyer has taken from us one who had long been an ornament to our institution, a benefactor to mankind, and not only a teacher to the students of this college, but a father beloved. His whole soul was absorbed in devotion to our prosperity and his last efforts were in behalf of this institution. So long as life shall last the students of the medical department will hold sacred the memory of Professor Watkins. The words of wisdom and fatherly encouragement that fell from those dead lips can never be forgotten, and we shall always feel, while pursuing our vocation, that, although his mortal being is sleeping the eternal sleep of death, his spirit is with us, guarding our pathway and rejoicing in the knowledge that we are following the instructions he so well impressed upon the tablets of our memory."

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A MAN AND WIFE WOULD LIKE SITUATION in cannery or logging camp. Address P. S., care Oregonian. 8d3

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PORTLAND, TUESDAY, APRIL 10.

NEED OF COAL.

The coal-measure belt running through the whole western part of country from California to British Columbia. At the several places where this vast deposit has been opened the coal varies much in quality. Since the coal was first mined there have been great disturbances of the earth's strata; nearly all points along the line of this coal deposit. As a consequence the coal beds have been much broken up, have totally disappeared in many places and in others where they still exist are very difficult to find.

South of us and north of us—at Coos bay, at Puget sound and in British Columbia—this coal is worked very extensively. In all the intervening country, in the Umpqua hills, about the head of the Willamette valley, in the Santiam region, in Clackamas and Columbia counties, as well as in many other localities, coal presents itself. Hitherto it has not been found in great quantities, but this can only be due to the fact that the search for it has not been conducted with proper energy and skill. Within fifty miles of Portland, on nearly all sides, "outcroppings" of coal appear, yet no actual search, on a scientific basis, backed by proper resources, has ever been made within this district, for paying coal.

A letter from Washington county, published yesterday, advises us that a discovery of coal has been made at Green Mountain, in that county; that the deposit is of enormous extent and the coal of fine quality, and that should the Astoria railroad ever be built Washington county could supply the whole Northwest with coal.

If coal is there, and we have no doubt of the correctness of the fact as reported, a railroad to it will be built very soon. Coal in that locality is within easy distance both of Astoria and Portland; the development of it will not wait upon a railroad, but the coal itself will cause a railroad to be built. Nothing else could be of so much importance to Portland, to Astoria and to all parts of the country with which they have business relations as the development of a great coal mine near by. If a large deposit of coal has been found in Washington county, as indicated, the importance of the discovery will quickly make the coal accessible; for it is just what our railways, steamships, factories and householders need. Two centuries ago war was said by a poet to move by its two main nerves, iron and gold. In these modern times coal moves commerce as gold and iron move war, with this difference as compared with former times, that war and commerce are now alike helpless, unless coal be added as the third and even more powerful nerve to the other two.

This reported discovery in Washington county should receive attention at Portland, and renewed efforts should be made in various localities about us for further discoveries. No one doubts that the coal is here and within reach. The importance of getting at it is becoming more apparent every day.

EDMUNDS AND BLAINE.

Our dispatches of the 7th announced that the capture of the Vermont state republican convention by the Blaine leaders surprised—if it did not startle Senator Edmunds. The truth is that Vermont has been really a strong Blaine state for many years. Nothing but the personal influence of Senator Edmunds exercised in every possible way, prevented Vermont from sending a delegation solid for Blaine to Chicago in 1876, 1880 and 1884. In 1876 Edmunds threw his strength for Bristow, between whom and Blaine the delegation was divided. In 1880 Edmunds allowed himself to be put forward by his state as a candidate in order to rob Blaine of support, for the state convention of 1880 was strongly pronounced for Blaine as against Grant. In 1884 Edmunds was so anxious to beat Blaine that he wrote personal letters to all his political friends in the state to see to it that an anti-Blaine delegation was sent to Chicago. Under the guise of securing an Edmunds delegation this was done, but the convention was enthusiastic for Blaine, and had it not been for the "Edmunds" boom Blaine would have carried the delegation. Probably Senator Edmunds accepted Blaine's declination in good faith this year and gave himself no concern about his state convention. The report that the "Blaine movement" in Vermont means the eventual retirement of Edmunds at the end of the present senatorial term is probably an assumption without foundation. Blaine's election or defeat would hardly affect Edmunds. His senatorial term will not expire until March 3, 1893. If Blaine or any friend of Blaine's were elected, Edmunds's successor would not be chosen until October, 1892, just before the presidential election, and too late for the administration to have much power to defeat Edmunds's re-election; and if Blaine was again defeated neither he nor his friends would have any power to disturb Edmunds. As a matter of fact Senator Edmunds is by no means certain to seek or accept a re-election to the senate in 1892. He will then be nearly 65 years old; he has worked hard and is prematurely aged in body, and would be naturally disposed to retire from public life to practice his profession as did Conkling.

So far as the merits of the quarrel between Blaine and Edmunds are concerned, it has grown out of a bitter personal dislike and jealousy of Blaine on the part of Edmunds. In the senate Mr. Edmunds never lost a chance to attack Blaine with covert insults and ill-concealed sneers and sarcasms, deriding him as "no lawyer," and insinuating that he was a retainer of Jay Gould's lobby, who was always "sure to start up from behind Gould's breastworks, musket in hand," as Mr. Edmunds expressed it in his letters and conversation from 1880 to 1884. The quarrel was a most disastrous one in its relation to the party defeat of 1884, and if it is renewed this year by the nomination of Blaine it will be likely again to unhorse the candidate.

GEN. GILLMORE.

General Quincy A. Gillmore, who died in Brooklyn on Sunday, aged 68, was considered during the war the first engineer in the service, and he fully maintained that reputation until the day of his death. Gillmore was graduated from West Point in 1849 at the head of a class which included Generals Parke, Baird, and the distinguished confederate, Gen. Charles W. Field. He conducted the operations that ended in the capture of Fort Pulaski, Ga., in April, 1862, and was promoted to the rank of brigadier-general of volunteers. He succeeded General Hunter in command of the department of the South, and in July, 1863, was made major-general of volunteers. He reduced Fort Sumter with his batteries to a heap of ruins as an artillery post, and forced the evacuation of Fort Wagner and Morris Island. That Charleston did not fall in August, 1863, was due to the failure of Admiral Dahlgren to second Gillmore's operations as Farragut or Porter would have done, had either of them been in command. Great as were General Gillmore's abilities as an engineer and an artillerist he was a complete failure as a commander of infantry in the field, when he led the Tenth army corps in the Army of the James, in Butler's movement on Petersburg, in May, 1864. He was relieved from command, and Gen. Grant, in his "Memoirs," refers to him in uncomplimentary terms. But as an engineer to plan and defend entrenchments, or to conduct siege operations Gillmore was an officer of the very first order of talent. The record of his army and civil service since the war shows that no man of his profession has been so constantly employed or consulted in engineering works and fortifications as Gen. Gillmore. He was not a general, but he was a very great military engineer, whose remarkable talents have been recognized by Comte de Paris in the last volume of his "Civil War in America." Gen. Gillmore was the author of several standard works on subjects relating to his profession. He was a native of Ohio, the birthplace of more distinguished generals than any other state of the Union.

TWENTY-THREE YEARS.

Yesterday was the anniversary of Lee's surrender at Appomattox. The twenty-three years that have elapsed since that famous day finds few of the notable actors in that heroic retreat and wonderful pursuit living. Sheridan, Gibbon, Wright, Crook, Barlow, Miles and Ayres survive, but Grant, Meade, Humphreys, who commanded the Second corps; Griffin, who led the Fifth corps; Ord, commander of the army of the James, and Custer, who "piped with fire the bolt" of cavalry that under Sheridan's orders fired Lee's lines asunder, are dead. Lee, Ewell, Pickett and Anderson are dead. Longstreet, Ketchaw, Gordon, Beth, Wilcox and Mahone are the only notable Confederate survivors of that last campaign. What a season of incessant battle was that last clap of thunder! April 1 Sheridan, with 10,000 cavalry and 12,000 infantry assaults and crushes Lee's right at Five Forks. April 2 Wright, Humphreys, Gibbon and Parke carry Lee's entrenched lines before Petersburg. Lee begins his retreat that night, and Petersburg and Richmond are occupied the next morning. Sheridan outfoots Lee, having gained the shorter line, and pleats the cavalry and the Fifth corps across the Danville railroad at Jetersville, seven miles in advance of Lee at Amelia court house. That was Lee's chance to strike Sheridan and sweep him aside before the rest of the Union army came up. He did not, or could not take it. The Second corps came up at 3 P. M. of the 5th, and the Sixth corps at 6 P. M., and the road to Danville was blocked. The night of the 5th Lee resumed his retreat, marching westward. On the 6th his retreating columns were assaulted by the Sixth corps at Sailors' creek and by the Second corps at Deatonsville, and his rear guard under Ewell and Anderson, 10,000 strong, destroyed, captured or dispersed. On the 7th there was severe fighting between the Second corps and Lee's forces at Farmville and High Bridge. On the 8th Lee resumed his retreat but Sheridan again at nightfall headed him off at Appomattox court-house with his cavalry, cutting Lee off from Lynchburg as before he had cut him off from Danville. The Fifth corps under Griffin and the Twenty-fourth corps under Gibbon marched all night and by daylight were with Sheridan. Behind Lee the Second corps and Sixth corps were swiftly coming up. There was no escape. Thirty thousand troops blocked the way to Lynchburg, while as many more were snapping at the heels of the Confederates, and Lee surrendered the remnant of as gallant an army as ever trod this continent, an army that would have died in its tracks had Lee asked of them so useless sacrifice. As a matter of humanity Lee ought to have surrendered after Sailors' creek on the 6th, for his situation was then hopeless. He could not have reached Lynchburg with anything like the semblance of an army. His men were heroic, but they had no food and were utterly worn out, pursued by an overpowering force of well fed soldiers. Longstreet's judgment was to surrender after Sailors' creek, but Lee's pride held out another two days.

In the twenty-three years that have elapsed since Appomattox, the soldiers at least of the two sides to our great civil war have long ceased to cherish any feeling for each other save that of common respect for equal valor, if not equal sacrifices—common desire that the peace of the nation may never be again broken by such a contest. In New York recently there has been organized the Independent Army and Navy Veterans' Association. The object of this association is to "maintain perfect union among its members, to establish harmony and discipline, to insure tranquility, to promote the object of reconciliation between the blue and the gray veterans of 1861-65, to maintain true allegiance to the United States government and unswerving respect for and fidelity to the constitution and the laws of the land and to encourage the spread of universal liberty, equal rights and justice to all men." The representative of the association in New York is Phil Sheridan, Post No. 1. Before adopting this name, a letter was sent to the general, stating the objects of the association and asking permission to use his name. The general, in his reply granting the request, stated that he fully approved the objects of the new organization.

THE NICARAGUAN CANAL.

By the terms of the concession to the Nicaragua canal the final surveys made must be commenced in one year, and in two years and a half they must be completed and the work commenced; but no beginning of the work will be deemed valid unless during the first year of actual operations there shall be expended at least $2,000,000. By September, 1889, the company must have begun to spend $2,000,000, and have spent it by September, 1890. The money to be raised for construction is announced as $68,000,000, and must be spent in ten years. The concession carries all the privileges required by the company, including extensive land grants, and is for ninety-nine years. At the end of that time it is stipulated that "the republic shall enter upon possession in perpetuity of the canal and all its establishments."

Entrance to the canal when finished is to be prohibited to vessels of war of such powers as may be at war with Nicaragua or other Central American republics, and in no case can the concession be other than the property of a private company. Since the granting of this concession by Nicaragua, President Cleveland, as arbitor in the boundary line dispute between Costa Rica and Nicaragua, has decided that the treaty of 1858, signed by Costa Rica and Nicaragua, is valid. Under this treaty the boundary line establishes Costa Rica's claim to the right bank of the San Juan river. Costa Rica, if she insists on it, is entitled to some sort of indemnification or satisfaction in the matter of the canal, and if the canal should enter the territory of Costa Rica at any point her consent would have to be secured. The canal company has secured from Nicaragua a pledge that in event of war transit will not be denied our vessels, and arbitration is provided for in case of a dispute between the two nations.

A general election is to take place in Louisiana a week hence. Between the democratic factions of the state bitter war is in progress, and it is thought possible that the republicans, as a consequence, may get a chance to vote and to have their votes counted. Should this be so they would carry the state. In democratic circles there is some alarm about it. It is noticeable that St. John is not in Louisiana, preaching third party prohibition. He doesn't go on this mission to democratic states in election times.

The national managers of the democratic party want Oregon just at this time, because if they can get it they will obtain control of the United States senate. Suggestive coincidence, isn't it, that St. John pops up in Oregon just at this time? Four years ago he put in his work in the state of New York, so as to give the democratic party the presidency. Now he puts in his work in Oregon, so as to give the same party the United States senate, if he can.

WHEN DOCTORS DISAGREE.

Dr. Kenneth Millican, in the February number of the *Nineteenth Century*, makes a special plea for the abolition of the present English code of medical ethics which forbids a physician of the regular school to recognize a homeopathist professionally. Last year seven members of the medical staff of an old established medical charity resigned their posts on the ground that "a vote of the governors which enables professed homeopaths to hold office on the medical staff and left them no alternative." The governors were filled by representatives of both schools of the medical profession, and these homeopaths and regulars co-operated harmoniously in the same medical institution. Dr. Millican was one of the regulars who accepted a place under this charity, and he was at once notified that his resignation as a member of the staff of Queen's Jubilee Hospital was desired. He refused to resign and was suspended.

Dr. Millican in his article occupies the same ground upon which stand the advocates of the new code of the New York Medical Society, which allows consultations between regular, old school physicians and homeopaths or eclectics. In England the regulars are far more exclusive. When Dr. Kidd was at the death bed of Lord Beaconsfield, Sir Wm. Jenner refused to meet him in consultation; and another physician, Dr. Quain, only felt justified in so doing when armed with a special dispensation from the Royal College of Physicians in London, although Dr. Kidd had discarded the name of "homeopathic" and removed his name from the Homeopathic Directory. The new code of the New York State Medical Society, which has been in force for several years, provides that "Members of the medical society of the state of New York, and of the medical societies in affiliation therewith, may meet in consultation legally qualified practitioners of medicine. Emergencies may occur in which all restrictions should, in the judgment of the practitioner, yield to the demands of humanity." This code originally met with the most bitter opposition, and was finally adopted after a long struggle, in which Dr. St. John Roosa was the leader of the advocates of reform. Dr. Roosa says that the legislature "ought to appoint a board for the purpose of qualifying people to practice medicine. A physician would be qualified to practice or not, and once he had passed the state examination there would be no question as to his standing. It is very hard to get any such act as this through the legislature, for all the small medical colleges think that it is aimed at their right to give diplomas. If their diplomas do not entitle a man to practice medicine, these petty institutions will have no more reason for being. Thus, such an act would at once raise the dignity of the profession as a whole, and would weed out dangerous incompetency."

KICKING A CRIPPLE.

The Dalles *Sun* comments upon the practice of treating working Chinamen in an inhuman and insulting manner, and cites two cases where Chinese were cruelly assaulted without the slightest provocation, by half-grown boys. No wonder the half-grown boys abuse the Chinese, for full grown men do it with impunity and are not ashamed of it. The white man's dog barks at the Chinaman's heels, and the boy grows up in an atmosphere of brutal and contemptuous indifference to the rights of the weak, friendless, timid, inoffensive Mongolian. All boys are mere monkeys in their quickness to imitate men and to apprehend the average public sentiment. The hoodlum boy is quick to perceive that the Chinaman is friendless, and without social consequence, and that there is absolute safety in abusing him, so the cowardly imps worry the Chinese at every opportunity. If boys were taught at home, at school, in the Sunday school as carefully that forbearance of power is the distinguishing trait of a true gentleman, as they are taught many other things of far less moral consequence, there would not be so many cowardly half-grown boys or full-grown men in the world. It is quite as important that a boy should have a humane heart and a manly nature as it is that he should be taught the learning of the schools. If boys knew that they were despised for persecuting a person who cannot strike back, and were rebuked for inhumanity by their elders if not their betters, the Chinaman would seldom be assaulted; but the whole air is charged with that brutal contempt for the friendless, the ignorant and the weak that is characteristic of the Anglo-Saxon in every quarter of the globe. The Puritan's piety never restricted him from cruel treatment of the Indian the moment he felt strong enough to rob and murder him, and from the first colonization of New England to the present day men of English speech never hesitate to torture the "lame ducks." It must have been an Anglo-Saxon who met a man tied hand and foot in a forest, who had evidently been badly beaten. The wretch explained that he had been set upon, beaten, robbed of his money and all his clothes save his shirt, and tied hand and foot to a tree. "Are you sure you can't get away?" "No, I can't possibly." "Well then, if you can't get away I guess I'll take your shirt and give you another whipping just for luck."

It is good to teach a boy temperance and thrift and economy, but it is at least as important to teach him to behave like a manly man, and not like a cowardly, savage brute; to teach him to be just and humane, and that no gentleman who is a brave man ever stooped to kick a cripple. Henry Bergh spent his life and his fortune in making men respect the right even of domestic animals to protection from wanton cruelty and unusual, unnecessary punishment, but there are places in civilized America where a friendless human being is more cruelly treated than a burro even is by a drunken miner.

Senator Stanford, in his recent defense of the Central Pacific, made no allusion to the fact that the managers have made no provision for the subsidy bonds. They have diverted the resources of the company to other profitable enterprises and have robbed the lines on which the government rested for its security to build other lines and to enrich the managers, while no provision has been made for the payment of the government subsidy bonds which mature in ten years. These bonds are a second lien line on a road whose first mortgage bonds represent more than its value. No wonder honest congressmen think it about time to find out whether when these bonds mature the government is likely to be left with a second mortgage on a bankrupt property.

At Milwaukee, (Wis.), in the municipal election that took place last Wednesday the names of the old political parties were dropped. The contest was between the socialists and the citizens' tickets. It was a close run. Brown, citizens' candidate for mayor, received 15,078 votes and Kroeger, socialist candidate, received 15,033. The election was a very exciting one. Republicans and democrats dropped their party names for the nonce, and united to beat the socialists. Milwaukee is one of our cities that have a larger foreign born than native population.

The pardoning power seems to be recklessly used by other democratic governors that our own Pennoyer. Gov. Jackson of Maryland, has pardoned seven judges and clerks of election, who were convicted recently of fraud on the ballot box in Baltimore. These men were convicted after a fair trial and their sentence confirmed by a higher court in spite of the pressure of every possible political influence that could be invoked in their favor. Gov. Jackson pardoned them because they were convicts who had committed crime in aid of his party. In Chicago, Indianapolis, Cincinnati, and Columbus democratic grand juries refuse to indict, democratic petit juries refuse to agree to a verdict; democratic U. S. senators labor to secure acquittal for their criminals, and if a conviction is secured after several trials, then the democratic governor hands the convict a pardon, and facetiously says "Repeat yourself; the party has need of thee."

The statement comes from many sources in Europe that Mr. Blaine's health is failing and that there is no probability he will survive long; and it is believed that to this fact must be ascribed the "personal reasons" that led him to write his letter of withdrawal from the contest for the presidency. The statement as to his declining strength comes from so many sources and is so constantly repeated that it becomes impossible to question it.

This year democrats of Oregon ask votes for their candidates solely on the ground that they are democrats, and that they wish Oregon to be committed, by its vote, to the democratic party and to the administration. This will do for democrats; but they who are not democrats cannot vote for democratic candidates on this basis. The issue as presented will cause party lines to be drawn very closely.

The sub-committee of the house on public lands have agreed on a bill for forfeiture of all land grants claimed by railroads not completed within the time prescribed by law. This bill, should it become a law, would forfeit the whole of the Northern Pacific grant west of Bismarck. But there would still remain an appeal by the company to the supreme court of the United States.

In Rhode Island the vote for governor was: Taft, republican, 20,708; Davis, democrat, 17,444; Gould, prohibitionist, 1345. Republican plurality, 3334; majority over all, 1679. Last year the democrats elected the governor by nearly 3700 plurality.

The New York Sun sent a reporter through Canada from Montreal to Vancouver Island to sound the people on the subject of annexation to the United States. He found a general demand for annexation, especially in the Northwest provinces.

Eastern journals are asking, "What has become of spring?" Sojourning on the Pacific slope. Been here two months.

FUNERAL NOTICES.

Portland Lodge No. 55, A. F. & A. M.—There will be a special meeting to-day at Masonic Temple at 1 P. M. sharp, for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late Brother, past Grand Master J. B. Congle. Members of sister lodges and sojourning brethren are earnestly requested to attend.

I. W. PRATT, Sec. SAM. P. GILL, W. M.

Ainsworth Chapter of Rose Croix, No. 1, A. & A. S. R.—Members and sojourning Knights are requested to meet at Masonic Temple at 1 o'clock sharp for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late Brother, J. B. Congle. By order M. W. M.

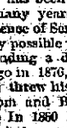
Knights Templar.—Special Order No. 8.—Oregon Commandery No. 1. You are ordered to report at your asylum this (Tuesday) at 12:45 o'clock sharp, to act as escort for Portland Lodge No. 55, at the funeral of our late Sir Knight and Brother, John Burt Congle. Sojourning Knights cordially invited. All will appear in full regalia. By order

R. G. WHITEHOUSE, E. K. LIPPINCOTT, Recorder. Eminent Commander.

The Directors of Portland Mechanics' Fair will meet at the Merchants' National Bank at 1 o'clock P. M. to-day for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late President, J. B. Congle. By order of the Vice-President. GUSTAF WILSON, Secretary.

MEETING NOTICES.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR



Oregon Commandery No. 1.—You will meet at your asylum this (Tuesday) evening at 7:30 P. M., Stated conclave. Business, installation of officers.

E. K. LIPPINCOTT, Eminent Commander.
R. G. WHITEHOUSE, Recorder.

E Co., Attention.—In compliance with Special Orders No. 111, a meeting will be held Wednesday evening, April 11, for the special election of a Captain and First Lieutenant. Full attendance requested.

Ellison Encampment No. 1, I. O. O. F.—Regular meeting this Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Full attendance requested. By order of the Encampment. HARRY C. BOYD, Scribe.

DIED.

At Pamelroy, W. T., April 9, at 9 o'clock P. M., Chester, eldest son of H. M. and Carrie L. Hathaway, aged 7 years in October last.

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ALL PERSONS KNOWING THEMSELVES TO be subscribers to the Portland Advertising Board will please meet at the rooms of the Oregon Immigration Board, corner Front and Ash streets, at 3 P. M., Thursday, April 12, 1888, to select five of their number to co-operate with said board in the work of advertising. CHAS. H. DODD,
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200 PAIRS OF GENTLEMEN'S $9 SHOES FOR $7!

These Shoes I made during the April season to keep my help. They are all first-class in every respect, made of Imported Stock and Hand-Sewed. This is a rare chance to get a pair of Custom-Made Shoes for such a price. W. J. FULLAM, 3s6t* Custom Boots and Shoes, 110 First st.

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Damaged by late Railroad Casualty, takes place, Commencing FRIDAY, APRIL 13th, At No. 46 First St., next to the London and San Francisco Bank. The line includes a large number of cases of

Clothing, Furnishing Goods, Hats, Etc.

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THE DAILY SERVICE WEATHER REPORT

Local Report.

PORTLAND, April 9, 6:43 P. M.

Stations.	Time of Obser'n.	Bar.	Ther.	Direc'n of Wind.	Vel. of Wind.	Rain fall.	Weather.
[illegible]				NW	1	.00	Clear
				NW	1	.00	Cl'dy
				Calm	0	.00	Cl'dy

Maximum temperature, 56. Minimum temperature, 36.

Stations.	Total excess or deficiency since 1st of present mo.	Total excess or deficiency since Jan. 1, 1888.
[illegible]	—35	—285.
[illegible]	—30	— 7.49

Stations.	Time of Obser'n.	Bar.	Ther.	Wind direc'n.	Wind vel.	Rain fall.	State of Weather.
[illegible]				Calm		.00	Cl'dy
				W		.00	Cl'dy
				NW		.00	Clear
				W		.00	Clear
				W		.00	Clear
				SW		.01	Cl'dy
				SW		.00	Cl'dy
				W		.00	Clear
				NW.		.00	Cl'dy
				NW		.00	Clear

PASSENGER LISTS.

OVERLAND.

Per Oregon Pacific—Medford: P. [illegible], A. W. Hammond, J. E. Hedges, [illegible] Smith, W. H. Seat, W. [illegible], A. Jones, G. B. Cannon, H. Cannon, [illegible] Jones, J. H. Goldman, Mrs. [illegible], W. D. West, J. Dietsch, W. S. [illegible], [illegible] Hall, J. P. St. John, J. W. Cox, [illegible], Mrs. J. B. Wyatt, Robert [illegible], [illegible] Troxy and wife, M. H. [illegible], [illegible] Smith, W. R. Lapsett and [illegible].

Per Union Pacific—John Scanlan, [illegible] and wife, C. M. Miller, [illegible] Jones and family, D. R. [illegible], [illegible] Huntington: C. A. [illegible], [illegible] Jackson, J. R. Remmond, Daniel [illegible], Miss McDonnell, A. D. Hadley, E. [illegible], [illegible] Bell, J. R. Parks, Henry Blackman, [illegible] Thomas, J. H. Holland, W. S. Geary, [illegible] and wife, G. H. Webb, Charles Bishop, [illegible] and family four emigrants.

PER STR.

From San Francisco for Portland, [illegible] B. Wilson, T. J. Carver, A. Jackson, [illegible] Prof. C. W. Swigert, Mrs. G. Ilfort F. R. [illegible], [illegible] W. Bane, R. K. Calley, E. G. O. Grost, [illegible], Mrs. E. C. Chaplin, Mrs. J. C. Conway, [illegible], F. H. Bonte, S. A. Wiggin and wife, [illegible] and daughter, V. C. Bellinger, A. [illegible], J. B. Bladel, Wood, Miss Buckley, W. [illegible], I. L. Brink, mother and sister, Miss McBride, Mrs. J. H. Allen, and Miss [illegible].

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

ITEMS RECORDED APRIL 9.

A. Carpenter and wife to E. Martin, lots 7, 8, [illegible], Portland; April 6; $2400.

Charles Clark and husband to H. J. Mansfield, [illegible] 1 1/2 acres, Belmont park tract, [illegible].

[illegible] Peterson et al. to same, lot 24, Belmont park; April 7; $200.

[illegible] and wife to Thompson Foster, lot 7, [illegible] Ferris, R. P., April 5; $200.

[illegible] Devore and wife to G. W. Ficke, lots 1, 2, [illegible], Ferris, R. P., March 31; $200.

[illegible] Allen and wife to Charles Grittmacher, [illegible] Fourth and Fifth streets, April 9; $2300.

SECOND SALE TO-DAY.

The [illegible] auction sale of Turkish goods [illegible] Front st., at 10:30 A. M., sharp.

THIRD REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

The republican county convention for Tillamook county, was held at Tillamook City, April 4.

Resolutions were passed endorsing the action of Oregon's delegation in congress, especially Dolph[illegible], whom the delegates to the national convention were instructed to support.

The following ticket was nominated: [illegible] representative for Yamhill and Tillamook—Rev. J. W. Maxwell.

County clerk—E. S. Hays.

Sheriff—C. F. Hayes.

Treasurer—H. Mohlenrost.

Assessor—Jasper Smith.

School superintendent—I. T. Manlsby.

Surveyor—C. L. Chatterton.

County commissioners—W. F. West, Miles [illegible].

For several committeeman—E. B. Hays.

Delegates to state convention—J. W. Maxwell, E. S. Hays and A. B. Wilson.

BRIEF MENTION.

[illegible] to demand.

[illegible] the clothier, 124 First.

[illegible] night, Third and Ash.

[illegible] investing even a street railway a [illegible].

[illegible] Pair Ornaments this fall and [illegible] at the old stand.

[illegible] attractions at the Tivoli. Go early [illegible] is all that is on the bill.

[illegible] tent will be Alibis and north. The [illegible] are waiting. Look out.

[illegible] are making good time and [illegible] at other roads take pattern. It [illegible].

[illegible] Why, those homemade [illegible] from the City Bakery, Third, near [illegible].

[illegible] make a note of it. You can [illegible] the handsome offered by McAllan [illegible] of 85 Third street in lace curtains.

[illegible] knows how you can secure the A. B. [illegible] Bros.' pianos. All first [illegible] on the installment plan. Kohler & [illegible].

Notice to the Public.

[illegible] authorized messengers of the American Telegraph Company wear badges [illegible] with the messenger's number. [illegible] will not be responsible for the acts [illegible] agents, and the public is hereby [illegible] the same.

[illegible] to announce to our friends in [illegible] we have opened a local office and [illegible] rooms at 209 First street, Portland, [illegible] Mr. W. G. Taylor (late Pabian house) [illegible] who will take charge of guests, when [illegible] will be pleased to meet them. [illegible] FURNITURE & CO., Importing [illegible] Manufacturing Thermostats, Chi[illegible].

Removal.

[illegible] of the Wilshire Safe & Scale Company [illegible] removed to Messrs. Bank Bros., [illegible] a full and complete stock of safes [illegible] J. K. Hogue will hereafter represent [illegible] the traveling agent for this well [illegible] safe house.

A DOGGIE IS QUICKLY CURED

[illegible] Mother Carey's Gum Tree Cough [illegible] will relieve the croupiest or blind[illegible] Sold by druggists and dealers. [illegible] & Co., agents, Portland, Or.

[illegible] that a large assortment of clothing, [illegible] damaged by the late rainfall, [illegible] to be sold by auction by Gilman & Co., [illegible].

Assignee's Sale and Contract.

[illegible] received by C. H. Wilcox, 180 First st.

[illegible] Cooper's for Apollo at 3d Bottman's, 40 [illegible] stand.

BUSINESS ITEMS.

[illegible] Geo. M. Parker, 131 [illegible].

[illegible] W. Carter's [illegible] Feathers.

[illegible] and Oysters [illegible].

[illegible] No. 58 Ankeny [illegible].

[illegible] Schlitz [illegible].

[illegible] Merchant [illegible] Alder.

[illegible] and [illegible] [illegible].

[illegible] Regular [illegible] TUESDAY [illegible] FRIDAY at [illegible].

[illegible] EN'S $7! [illegible] PECIAL AUCTION [illegible] SALE [illegible] First st.

[illegible] Furniture [illegible] APRIL 10, [illegible] Morrison [illegible] First st.

[illegible] Made [illegible] First st.

[illegible] SHE! [illegible] MAS & CO. [illegible] takes [illegible].

[illegible] Glad [illegible] Etc. [illegible] ELEGANT TURKISH and PERSIAN ORIENTAL HANGINGS, Embroideries, Portieres, [illegible] We will [illegible] WEDNESDAY, APRIL [illegible] Commencing [illegible] from [illegible] about [illegible] importation [illegible].

[illegible] Same [illegible] Tuesday [illegible] Wednesday [illegible] GILMAN & CO.

[illegible] A. B. RICHA[illegible] OF [illegible] Residence [illegible] Washington [illegible].

SPECIAL AUCTION [illegible] 3,000 [illegible] At Adler's [illegible] Oregon [illegible].

IN AND ABOUT PORTLAND.

ARRIVAL OF THE NEW U. S. ENGINEER.—Major Thos. H. Handbury, U. S. engineers, who is to succeed Captain Powell, arrived here yesterday with his son, a young man who has come out West to grow up with the country. Major Handbury was stationed at San Francisco from 1863 to 1872 and has visited Portland before. He has been employed on surveys at the mouth of the Columbia and on Puget Sound, and has surveyed the sites of a number of proposed fortifications in this region, and did much other work of the kind for which young engineers are usually detailed. He says he enjoyed himself very much on this coast and liked the western people and has been looking forward to getting back here ever since he was ordered East. He will take charge of the office here as soon as Captain Powell has got his books and papers in readiness to turn over. Captain Powell expects to leave for St. Louis about the 1st of May.

GREAT SAVING IN FUEL.—The water committee have found the use of wood instead of coal at the pumping station at Palatine hill a great saving. Coal cost about $80 per day and wood costs about $45, which makes a saving of $6775 per year. The committee has bought 1800 cords of wood, which is delivered from the wagons into the bunkers down a chute through the roof. They will shortly contract for from 4000 to 5000 cords, enough to last a year. Storage is being prepared for about 1000 cords, which will be kept in reserve, and a few hundred tons of coal will also be kept in reserve in case of accident. Wood is also being burned at the pumping station, for the high service on Lincoln street. The work of laying the main from the old pumping works up Lincoln street to the reservoir has been commenced, and the boilers and engines at the old station are to be put in order at once.

UNINFORMED IMMIGRANTS.—E. S. Rothchild arrived home from New York yesterday. He says that there were 357 emigrants on the short line train bound for Oregon, and that they had no information about this state and could procure none on the road. Van B. De Lashmutt and D. Solis Cohen were on the train, and they and Mr. Rothchild talked themselves hoarse in telling the immigrants all they knew about Oregon. Mr. Rothchild says there should be a lot of immigration literature kept at Green river to be given to immigrants passing there. Mr. Cohen says many people asked him if Portland was as big a place as Tacoma, and he is afraid some hardly believed him when he explained the difference between the two places.

NO AUTOMATIC FISHING YET.—Wheel fishing at the Cascades has not started up yet. The water is very low and it will require a rise of from ten to twelve feet to turn the wheels. A few nets are set in eddies but no fish are taken, and fishermen there are much surprised at the reports concerning the numbers being caught in the Willamette and Clackamas rivers. Some of the wheels were carried away by the unusually high water of last season, and the fishermen who use wheels are praying for a medium rise and one which will hold up for a long time. The Backhett Packing Company has hired the steamer Rowena for the season, but as she is absent the Uncle Richard was taken up Sunday in her place.

STAND PIPE TESTED.—The new stand pipe erected on Third street to supply the sprinkling carts with water was tested yesterday. It was estimated that it would take from twelve to fifteen minutes to fill a 500-gallon tank. It was found however that the two-inch pipe filled a tank in four minutes and ten seconds. This pipe is supplied by two three-fourths inch connectors with the main, the city not being allowed to put in any larger ones. These two pipes cannot carry one-fourth of what a two-inch pipe can, and if it had been practicable to connect the stand pipe directly with the main a sprinkler would be filled in no time. However, five minutes will be none too long a rest for the the horses and driver.

WAGON ROAD NEEDED.—It has long been known that there were valuable mines in the old Salmon river or Florence mining district, but, as there has never been a road built in, it was impracticable to develop them. It cost $60 per ton to pack ore out to Mount Idaho and $14 more to get it to San Francisco. Men have been holding several rich leads in there for years, and some important discoveries have lately been made. A determined effort is being made to get a wagon road built to the mines, and it is claimed that this will open up one of the richest mining sections in the Northwest.

J. B. CONGLE'S FUNERAL.—The funeral of the late J. B. Congle will take place from the First Presbyterian church at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Mrs. J. B. Wyatt, daughter of the deceased, will arrive from California by this morning's train. Portland lodge No. 56, F. A. A. M., Ainsworth Chapter of Rose-Croix No. 1, A. A. & A. S. R., the Knights Templar and the directors of the Mechanics' Fair Association will attend the funeral; also the officers and official board of the Ladies Relief Society.

TWO SURPRISES IN STORE.—Noticing a number of wagons busy in hauling goods to one of the stores in the Abington block yesterday, a reporter looked in and found that George Sheppard was arranging there the Ackerman stock and getting ready to commence in a few days the greatest slaughter of goods ever known in this city. The extent and variety of the stock will be a surprise, and Mr. Sheppard intends to surprise everyone by the rapid manner in which he will dispose of them.

RATEPAYERS HURT.—A section foreman named Thomas Smart was badly hurt at Arington last Saturday night. He was riding on the cow-catcher of a freight engine for a short distance, when the engine stopped upon the trestle near town. As it was dusk he supposed he was on clear ground and jumped off. The unfortunate man fell into the ditch, about twenty feet, and sustained severe internal injuries and a scalp wound. It is thought he will recover.

EYES INJURED.—Sunday a young son of Judge F. A. Moore of St. Helens, met with an accident wich may cause the loss of both eyes, at least serious injury to them. He emptied a charge of powder into an auger hole in a post which stood in the yard and applied a match to it. The powder not igniting he returned to the post and peered into the hole. At that moment the charge took fire and blinded him.

WITH WALTER BROS.—Mr. T. J. Colbert, who for several years has been in the carpet business in Portland, has formed connections with the well-known house of Walter Bros., corner First and Yamhill streets. His many friends are cordially invited to call and are assured that they will receive nothing but the best of treatment.

TO-MORROW'S CONVENTION.—The state republican convention will meet in Masonic hall at 11 o'clock to-morrow morning. All delegates coming over the O. & C. and O. R. & N. who pay full fare can get return tickets for one-fifth fare.

The line of rugs, portieres, etc., imported by Mr. Sahlig Cohrian will be upon exhibition to-day at the store in Abington building, Third street. Sale commences to-morrow, Wednesday, at 2 o'clock. Gilman & Co., Auctioneers.

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PERSONAL.

Mr. J. D. Lee of Dallas, is at the Holton.

Mr. Orville Tooker, of the Arlington Times, is in the city.

Mr. E. G. Hurd, editor of the Oregon *Blade*, is in the city.

Mr. J. W. Sherer, representing Powers & Weightman of Philadelphia, is at the Esmond.

Mr. J. B. Kirkland, of San Francisco, Pacific coast agent of the Pennsylvania railroad, is in the city.

Postoffice Inspector Mason is still lying very ill at Good Samaritan hospital, with but slight hopes of recovery.

Messrs. H. B. Miller of Grant's Pass, J. C. Lensure of Pendleton, and Mr. E. Olmstead of Baker City, are at the St. Charles.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Fried and daughter left for the East yesterday via the Northern Pacific, to be absent about three months.

Messrs. Alex. Cairncross and B. P. Nelson, leading merchants and manufacturers of Litchfield, Minnesota, returned East yesterday after two weeks' visit to friends in this city.

Paul R. Deady, who has been recuperating at Coburg for some time, returned last evening accompanied by his mother. Mr. Deady has been quite ill for about ten weeks but is now much improved.

Mr. W. H. Odell, postmaster of Salem, and one of the trustees of the Willamette University, arrived here yesterday to attend the commencement exercises of the medical department of the university.

Mr. J. W. Stephens a prominent attorney of Missoula, Montana is in the city. He is taking his first holiday in eighteen years and will go from here to the Sound and Victoria and thence to Southern California.

"It needs," as Hamlet says, "no ghost
To come and tell" this truth:
Pure SOZODONT preserves the teeth
In age, in manhood, youth;
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One or two persons, to and from	$2 00
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Riding and Calling, per hour	$1 00
To and from Theater and Parties, per couple	1 50

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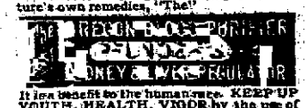

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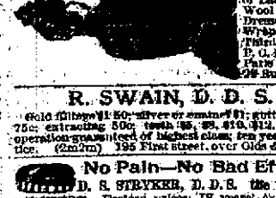

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STATE TREASURER'S THIRTY-FIRST NOTICE.

STATE OF OREGON, TREASURER'S OFFICE, SALEM, April 6, 1888.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that there are sufficient funds on hand to pay all outstanding warrants drawn on the general, penitentiary, indemnity, insane, insane and idiots, executive, judicial, legislative, county, fish, lighting, or indigent funds, which have been endorsed "presented and not paid for want of funds;" also the following warrants drawn on the militia fund; warrants numbered 2743, 2762, 2763, 2788 and 2796, and that all of the above warrants will be paid on presentation at this office. Interest will not be allowed after the date of this notice. (6t) G. W. WEBB, State Treasurer.

OREGON & CALIFORNIA RAILROAD CO.

Notice of Stockholders' Meeting.

STOCKHOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the annual meeting of stockholders of this company will be held at the office of the company, corner of Yamhill and Front streets, in the City of Portland, County of Multnomah, State of Oregon, on

TUESDAY, the 10th of April, next, at noon, for the purpose of electing Directors for the ensuing year, and such other business as may legally come before the meeting.

GEO. H. ATKINSON, Acting Secretary.

Portland, Or., March 10, 1888. 15mlm

LAND PLASTER

—AT—

Everding & Farrell's,

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—OF—

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Baker	5	Lane	10
Benton	7	Linn	10
Clackamas	9	Malheur	2
Clatsop	7	Marion	14
Columbia	4	Morrow	5
Coos	7	Multnomah	30
Crook	2	Polk	6
Curry	3	Tillamook	3
Douglass	9	Umatilla	10
Gilliam	5	Union	8
Grant	6	Wallowa	4
Jackson	9	Wasco	8
Josephine	4	Washington	8
Klamath	3	Yamhill	9
Lake	2		
Total			209

The same being one Delegate at large from each county, and one Delegate for every 150 votes and one for every fraction over one-half thereof cast for Hon. Binger Hermann, Congressman, at the last general election. The committee recommend that the primaries be held March 31, 1888, and the County Conventions April 4, 1888, unless otherwise ordered by the proper county central committee.

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With courage high and young hopes bright,
His father's hope, his mother's pride,
Perchance upon you bed has died,
Disgraced, degraded, in his prime,
Wrecked on the fatal rocks of crime.

Maybe a murderer has lain
With bursting heart and frenzied brain,
And seen upon your walls so white
His guilty victim through the night,
Till with his deadly terror's yell
You'd ring and echo, dismal cell.

You may have held a man whose name,
For honor once, had goodly fame,
By all respected and loved well;
Yet, as his gray old age he fell,
And perhaps at thoughts of happier years
The door was wet by his hot tears.

The thief's pale corpse, the murder's yell,
The old man's tears, O dreary cell,
Seen hovering, floating, through their gloom,
Like ghosts around some haunted tomb,
While in my ears the day's last bell
Re-echoes like a funeral knell.

—*Prison Mirror.*

A HUSBAND'S REPENTANCE.

By Jessie Forbush Hansford.

[Written for The Oregonian.]

"You do not mean it, Frank. You cannot mean it."

Merle Arlington stood before her husband, her small hands tightly clasped together and her large blue eyes filled to overflowing with tears.

"Indeed I do mean it, and I deny your right to question me so closely. Merle, if I had as little confidence in you as you have in me I would not live with you another day."

"Oh, Frank! what do you mean?"

"Just what I say. Sometimes I think it would have been better if you and I had never met."

And saying this Frank Arlington took up his coat and turned his back upon his young wife.

Poor Merle! She drew in her breath with a sob and the tears coursed down her pale, thin cheeks that once were so plump and rosy.

Frank Arlington took no notice of this. He had allowed his temper to get the better of him, and when once angry he never hesitated what to say or do.

Pausing with his hand upon his head, he said coldly: "Well, I'm going now. I was coming home early to-night, but I have changed my mind and will not be at home until late."

"Ah! Frank, don't say that, do come home early. It is my great love for you that makes me anxious, and I worry so much about you, if you would only listen to me, Frank. If you would only quit going with Jack Caulton and others of his set and—"

"There, begin that again, and I'll promise you I'll never come home," he interrupted angrily, and closing the door behind him with no gentle force he was gone.

Merle clung on stood motionless where her husband had left her, trying to realize what had happened.

They had been married nearly four years, and this was not their first quarrel. For the past six months they had been very unhappy, but Frank had never spoken quite so rudely to her before.

Frank Arlington was not at heart a bad man, but he was inclined to spend his time playing cards, and of late had lost considerable money. He was easily led, and his companions were not such as would tend to arouse the good in him; on the contrary, Jack Caulton and his followers spent their time in gambling and Frank Arlington was completely in their influence.

The evening before our story opens he had not reached home until past two o'clock and it was when his young wife had remonstrated with him that he had lost his temper and spoken words any man might well be ashamed of having uttered.

Poor Merle! she had married Frank Arlington against the wishes of her parents and friends and now she was made to suffer for it.

Turning, she went slowly upstairs to their little sitting-room and softly opened the door, as if afraid of disturbing some one.

Crossing the room she lifted the heavy drapery that divided the sitting-room from their sleeping apartments, and softly approached a little crib.

Here she sank down upon her knees and gazed with loving tear-dimmed eyes at the little golden head nestling among the lace-covered pillows; evidently, baby's dream was a happy one, for the red lips were parted in a sweet smile.

At last the sleepy blue eyes opened and baby laughed aloud, and put up one dimpled hand to pat her mother's face.

Merle clasped the little form in her arms, and kissed the sweet baby face as she murmured:

"Oh! my little innocent darling, papa does not love us any more; he has gone without kissing you good-bye. Oh! baby, baby, my heart is breaking," and, laying her head down on baby's pillow, Merle cried until she was exhausted.

When she grew calmer she sat up and tried to think. The tears still glistened on her long lashes, and her face was deathly pale.

She would go away, of that she was quite decided, but where—that was the question, where could she go?

Her husband had ceased to love her, had spoken words she could not forget, and she could not remain with him longer. Yes, she would go away.

She packed a small satchel with a few necessary articles for little Daisy and herself, and, taking a photograph of her husband (taken in the dear old days when they were so happy) from a little case on a table, she looked at it long and earnestly, then brushing away the tears that blinded her eyes, she quickly placed it in the satchel, and taking baby in her arms she put on its little cloak and bonnet. How sweet she looked, dear little pet, as she ran up and down the room calling for "Papa," and trying to catch the pretty sunshine that made a go den patch across the carpet.

Happy baby, too young to realize her mother's sufferings, too young to know that she was leaving home forever.

Merle clasped her child in her arms and kissed the laughing face, then she closed the door behind them and started in the direction of the depot.

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"Come on, Arlington, over to the club rooms and let's have a game o' cards, perhaps you can square yourself to-night, old fellow," said Jack Caulton, as he linked his arm in that of Frank Arlington and offered him a cigar.

"Not to-night, Jack, I—"

"There, no refusal, Arlington, I am going to New York to-morrow and this is your last chance to get even," interrupted Jack Caulton, as he led the way to the club rooms.

Frank Arlington gave just one hasty thought to Merle, his wife, waiting for him through all the long, weary evening. But, alas! the thought of her was not strong enough to make him refuse to play. He felt ashamed when he recalled the events of the morning, and he made up his mind he would not stay late, but he must get even with Caulton, now he had the chance.

The hours passed on swiftly, Frank Arlington was still unlucky, still the loser.

Just as the clock chimed out eleven the door opened and a voice call out: "A telegram for Frank Arlington, is he here?"

And when it was handed to him he took it mechanically, glanced carelessly at the superscription, and laid it unopened on the table. The room was ghostly still; the sharp click of the chips, as they were pushed to the center of the table by nervous fingers, only served to make the silence more pronounced.

Now and then a half-muttered curse forced its way through tightly compressed lips, and shot through the almost deserted room like an invisible missile of death.

The pile of red and white ivory chips in the center of the table grew higher, and the faces about the table grew whiter and harsher and less human.

The hands were called, and Arlington slowly rose to his feet, his last dollar gone to swell the purse of his pretended friend, Jack Caulton. He leaned against the table, and his hand fell upon the telegram. He took it up and slowly broke the seal. It read as follows:

To Frank Arlington:—Come at once. Railroad accident at Foltonsville. Your wife dangerously hurt. Little child killed.

R. J. COLTON, Supt.

Frank Arlington's face was white as death. "My God, boys, what does this mean? My wife hurt in a railroad accident; little child killed. Merciful God! am I dreaming? It cannot be true."

Snatching up his hat, he dashed out the door—not before a hand grasped his arm and a young man, almost a stranger to Frank Arlington, said in a firm voice, "Let me go with you, you may need help."

And so together they hurried on until they came to Frank Arlington's home, the home he had left that morning with words of anger on his lips and angry thoughts in his heart.

The house was shrouded in darkness; no light glimmered from the window to welcome his return. All was silent as the grave.

To open the door and strike a match was the work of a moment. Then Frank hurried up stairs to their sleeping room. It was silent and empty—no wife, no baby; both gone.

It was true then, the telegram; his baby dead, his wife dangerously hurt, perhaps dying. Oh, God! what should he do? He was justly punished, for he had not appreciated them, and now God had taken one, perhaps both, from him forever.

A little note fastened to baby's pillow caught his eye, only a few lines:

I have gone away forever, Frank, my husband. I could not stay, knowing that you have ceased to love us—baby and I. Farewell forever, and may God bless you.

MERLE.

I cannot say if Frank Arlington would ever have reached the depot if he had been alone. As it was, his kind friend, Neil Franklin, helped him down stairs, called a cab and gave the directions to the driver. "As fast as you can to the Central depot and you shall have double fare."

They were just in time, and when the second extra pulled out for the scene of the accident Frank Arlington and Neil Franklin were among the passengers.

What a sight met their gaze on arriving at Foltonville.

The wrecked coaches were piled one upon another, while shrieks of the most intense agony and deep groans filled the air.

Making their way with great difficulty through the crowd they soon found Superintendent Colton and were directed by him where to find the injured passengers.

"This way, sir," said an elderly man in the uniform of a conductor, and very soon Frank Arlington was bending over a woman's form. A form covered with a sheet and still in the last long sleep of death.

A vision of Merle, as he had last seen her, arose before him, her small hands clasped together, her blue eyes filled with tears, and he fancied he could hear her pleading voice calling his name.

He shook as with the ague and grasped the hand of his faithful friend for support.

Neil Franklin bent forward and lifted the sheet from the dead face. As he did so Frank Arlington started back, exclaiming: "My God, this is not my wife!"

"Not your wife?" said the elderly conductor.

"This satchel was found grasped tightly in her hand and in it garments marked 'Arlington,' and several cards and a picture, a photograph, which I am sure, now I have seen your face, is of yourself. This is very strange."

"Where is the child?" gasped Frank Arlington.

"Here, by its mother's side," said Conductor Reynolds, pulling the sheet farther down and exposing to view the body of a little boy apparently about two years old, its dark curly hair brushed back from the baby brow, the bright eyes closed forever.

"My God! this is awful!" said Frank Arlington. "The satchel I recognize, the picture is mine, but this lady is a stranger to me, and my child is a little girl. Oh, God! where are they? This suspense is killing me."

"All those able to be moved have been taken to the hospital in Foltonsville. Perhaps you may find your wife there," said Conductor Reynolds, kindly.

Leaving the scene of the accident, they soon reached the hospital.

As they entered the door, a Sister of Mercy passed them with a child in her arms.

As soon as the little one caught sight of Frank Arlington, she held out her pretty hands and called:

"Papa! papa! take Daisy!"

Frank Arlington turned with a glad cry and caught the child in his arms.

"Tell me, for God's sake, is my child's mother alive?" he said, grasping the sister's hand in his great excitement.

"Yes, sir; and she is not seriously injured. I will take you to her," said the sister with tears in her soft brown eyes. "This way, sir."

A little later Frank Arlington was kneeling by a small white cot, pressing kisses of repentance on the sweet face of his wife.

"Oh, Merle, Merle, my darling, forgive me," he murmured in broken tones. "Thank God you are alive and I may prove my love for you and our dear baby by future devotion."

As for Merle, with her arms clasped around her husband's neck, she whispered, "Only love me, Frank, and I will forgive you everything."

"Love you, my darling wife! If I had lost you it would have killed me."

"Let us forget it all, dear Frank, and begin life again. Only remember, no one can love you as baby and I do."

"And the satchel, my darling, your satchel, that was clasped in the hand of that other, the poor woman who was killed, tell me ——"

"Is she dead? Oh, poor lady!" and Merle's eyes filled with tears. "She sat in front of me, and her little boy reached out for my satchel, the bright clasp caught his attention. So I put the satchel on the seat side of the mother and let him play with it to keep him quiet," and at the remembrance Merle sobbed aloud.

Merle Arlington was not severely injured; the shock had been very great, but with good care she was soon able to be conveyed home, and it was a happy day for Frank Arlington when he had his little family safely at home once again.

He loved his young wife truly, but he was easily led, and his ill luck at cards had made him unkind and unjust when at home. But all that is over now. Years have passed since that terrible railroad accident, the details of which will remain forever fresh in Frank Arlington's memory forever.

Their home is now a happy one, which proves without a doubt that whatever rain may fall into each life, God always sends some sunshine to dry the tears.—[Copyrighted. All rights reserved.

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AGRICULTURAL.

Experience of a Farmer in Making and Feeding Ensilage.

How to Grow Valuable Farm Crops—Vitality and Success of Dairying—Sub-soil Plowing—Gardening—Etc.

Mr. J. Tompkins, who owns land at the old "Paper Mills station," close to Oregon City and near the Clackamas, is the farmer who brought a sample of ensilage not long since, and promised to give his experience in connection with making and using ensilaged feed. THE OREGONIAN, some months ago, in speaking of this way of preparing food for stock gave the experience of a farmer living on the Clackamas, who made a pit in the earth and filled it with green corn, but when the pit was opened the contents were pronounced worthless and lay there for a whole year, but when opened at that time proved to be good feed. In conversation this week Mr. Tompkins exclaimed that he was the person referred to, and then gave his actual experience in connection with making and using ensilage, commencing about 1882.

He first read about ensilage in the *Willamette Farmer* at least six years ago, and determined to do as a man at the East had done as there narrated. He dug a pit in solid earth that was twelve by sixteen, and nine feet deep. He was cutting heavy clover and hauled it green to the pit. When it was filled he covered it with rough boards, and on these threw a heavy weight of earth and left it so until towards fall. Then he sent a man to open it. They thought it was spoiled because it was heating, and did not suppose that heated and fermented fodder could be good. So it lay out in this pit without good covering until time came to save the clover crop in 1881. A few boards were thrown over it, but then did not make a good shelter and there was nothing to prevent water in the soil from permeating the mass in the pit. The reader will see that Mr. Tompkins made a very crude experiment in those first years.

ROUND TO SUCCEED.

When the time came to save clover again, he concluded to open the old pit and fill it with more pains, for he had faith in the plan. The man who uncovered the first pit in 1883 brought some of the black mass the clover had resolved itself into, and as it was sweet they gave some to a horse that was feeding near by, and as he ate it and looked as if he could eat more, they concluded to let that pit alone and make another for the new crop.

This ensilaged clover was fed to his dairy cows that fall and winter, and they did well on it. Mr. Tompkins has a milk dairy and sells the milk in Oregon City. Unfortunately the severe winter of four years ago came and killed down the clover, so he had none to cut the next year. Meantime he has read and studied concerning the make and use of ensilage, and as time has demonstrated that a silo can be built of boards, and that such heavy loads of pressure are unnecessary, he set to work last year to build one inside of his barn. He used a space 12x16 feet square, and sixteen feet deep, made a solid floor, surrounded with studding two feet apart and sixteen feet high, planked it inside with rough lumber and covered this with heavy tarred paper; on this nailed matched flooring up and down, making a smooth wall that did not catch the fodder when sinking, and that had no slivers to catch any one who worked inside. His only mistake was that the 2x4 studding were too weak and bulged somewhat, letting in air at the corners. The studding should have been 2x8 inches and not more than twenty inches apart.

THOROUGHLY SUCCESSFUL.

A year ago last fall he sowed English rye grass, but did not expect to cut it the first year. The grass made a heavy growth so he cut it and put it in his silo. He only put a light weight on it and yet it settled over six feet. Not liking so much room wasted he cut his corn fodder at the stage when the grain was beginning to glaze, rigged a fodder cutter and set two men to work to cut it in half-inch lengths. This "fine cut" he put on top of the rye grass and began feeding the two kinds late last fall, mixing them as the mass was cut down. He thinks corn ensilage, mixed with bran as fed, an excellent milk ration. The rye grass was put in whole and packed down very heavy by its own weight and that of the corn.

Mr. Tompkins says that he and the neighbors saw that the cows fed this steadily increased in their milk during the excessive cold of January, which was a severe test. That it was excellent and economical and healthy feed, is above question. Even now, when pastures are fresh and new, he regrets that the last of the ensilage is just fed out. He goes so far as to say that if he could feed it to his cows all the year, he believes it would be to his advantage, and would be the most economical of feed, though in summer time cattle can be "soiled" to good advantage, that is, green feed can be cut and fed to them in preference to permitting them to run out in open pasture.

He maintained his faith against the sneers and jeers of his neighbors. Some told him scornfully that he "would have a fine lot of manure when the stuff rotted." As bright a man as Major Rinearson was witty enough to ask him once if he had "buried any more feed?" Despite all discouragements he has succeeded and is entirely satisfied. The original story of "the farmer on the Clackamas," was told years ago, and as he proves to be an intelligent and enterprising man his experience may be a benefit to other farmers.

TWO VALUABLE FARM CROPS.

How to Grow Fuel and Fodder, Good Bread and Stock Feed.

C. E. Cole, writing from Buckner, Mo., says: I give you my experience with two of the most valuable farm plants I have ever known. First, the mammoth Russian sun flower, which has proved to be a positive preventive of malaria, also a quick cure for colic or founder in horses by drenching with strong tea made by mashing the seeds. It is also the best egg and butter producing food for fowls and cows, and very fattening for for horses fed in small quantities by breaking up the heads with seeds in them. It will produce over 100 bushels per acre on rich land, besides a large quantity of good fodder—stalks, 2 to 2½ inches thick and 7 to 14 feet long. These make an enormous quantity of good kindling and stove wood. Seed heads are 12 to 18 inches across, which, with the seed in them make fuel equal to coal or wood on account of there being 30 or 40 per cent. of rich oil in them.

In planting put one seed 3x3 feet. In all climates and latitudes, any time from early spring to the 1st of July. If people of the Northwest, where blizzards prevail, would plant only an acre, they will have enough stalks and seed to warm them a whole year. It stands drouth splendidly. I would as soon miss a crop of corn as it.

Second—I send a small package of the wonderfully prolific flour corn that is as white as snow and makes flour equal to wheat and the best roasting ears known. Each grain, by shooting, produces from three to six stalks, from one to three ears and four times more and better stock-fodder than other corn, as the stalks are soft and as sweet as sugar, which causes stock to eat it, stalk and all, clean after it is cured. It is good for canning. My little patch last year made at the rate of 144 bushels per acre, notwithstanding drouth and chinch bugs. It does well North or South.

I send you a small package of each. If you will split the grain open you will find a solid mass of flour itself. I will send a trial package of each to those who send me stamps for mailing. The sunflower makes fuel here and saved many lives in Kansas last winter. In growing the corn, don't pull off the suckers. I have seen twelve good ears and eight stalks from one hill.

THE SUB-SOIL PLOW.

None to be had in the Northwest, and Who is to Blame.

The Seattle *Post-Intelligencer* says that no implement house in Oregon or Washington could replace a sub-soil plow that was broken on the Sound. If this is so, it does not speak well for the farming methods of this region, for it is not possible to do good farming, of all descriptions, without deeper plowing than a surface plow can do. That sub-soil plows can be had seemed evident at Ashland last fall, as fruit-growers there used them, and said they purchased in Portland. Passing along the streets of Ashland one could see a second-hand sub-soil plow lying between two buildings, so they have them there whether they use them or not. For gardening and fruit-growing land needs to be stirred deeply. The lower soil may not require lifting to the surface at first, but should be stirred and pulverized, so the action of sun, air and frost can be felt below and encourage roots to go down deep. After a year or two this deeper soil can be mixed to advantage with the surface soil, and by the aid of manure can be warmed up and made available for the finest operations in gardening. A community of farmers who possess no sub-soil plows have something to learn and a great deal to gain by practicing thorough tillage.

VITALITY OF DAIRYING.

Educated Dairymen Are the Ones Who Make the Profit.

Hoard's Dairyman says the only farmers in Wisconsin, Illinois, Iowa or Minnesota who had any money to show for last season's work were dairymen. But while those who followed dairying generally succeeded in making something, the men who made respectable profits were those who had the best dairy cows and who fed them on bran, middlings and other feed, when it is necessary to keep up the flow of milk and the strength of the cow.

In dairying, as with all other occupations, it pays well to do good work. The best cow is the cheapest in the end and there are good cows of different breeds. The dairyman needs to be well educated in his line of work, and men who study the business of dairying make the best profits; that is, if they practice what they learn. The great majority continue in the old ways and methods; very few graduate to higher skill and leave behind wasteful and unprofitable methods of managing cows and a dairy farm. Even in Wisconsin, where dairying may be called successful, not over one in ten of the patrons of a creamery or cheese factory has taken pains to post himself in the thorough knowledge of the business. The nine never attend a convention to discuss dairying or read books concerning the business they follow. Considering the ignorance so many show and the want of intelligence manifest, dairying must possess great vitality to enable such men to squeeze a living for themselves and their cattle from the making of butter and cheese.

Intelligent people will not rest satisfied until they learn the different traits and qualities of the various breeds of dairy cattle; in what degree each excel and how they can best be cared for to insure good returns. Then the dairy cow needs a different ration from a fattening steer. To make meat is one thing, and to create cheese or butter is another. There is a great difference in cattle, for some cows are calculated for a cheese dairy; others for the butter dairy and still others give a great abundance of milk and are most profitable to supply the daily demands of the city customers. Then there comes in the question of feed. If the intention is to make butter, cheese or milk the salable product, the cow needs suitable food for the purpose she is to fill. The dairyman then should read books and papers that can teach him these important facts. He should take a vital interest in his occupation and he can find much to occupy his mind in it if he will investigate all facts bearing on the subject. He will learn what crops to grow for feed, and the constituents that enter into all the food they eat. An educated and well-posted dairyman can take advantage of his knowledge and will learn that it is not only power, but has power to make money.

STARTING A CREAMERY.

I. N. Murcy, in *Farmer's Review*, gives the following information to aid those who wish to start a creamery. He says:

You can call it creamery or dairy. You will get creamery prices if you make creamery butter, unless you ship to some dishonest commission merchant. If dairy butter is made on the creamery plan it is creamery butter. One hundred average cows ought to give approximately 600,000 pounds per cow per year. This is an average of 2000 pounds per day. It is highly probable that they will not all be fresh at or near the same time. In my opinion the cheapest and best way to handle the milk is as follows:

Use the ordinary shotgun unpatented can, 19 inches deep, 8 inches in diameter, holding about 33 pounds of milk. Set the milk direct from the cows in these cans in cold water and skim in 30 to 36 hours. Do not set longer. You need 90 cans at 50 cents each. Cool this milk quickly and have plenty of tank room. The tank ought to hold about 900 to 1000 pounds of water. Use the ordinary box churn of 80 to 100 pounds capacity; churn once a day. A patent ventilator to allow the gases from the cream to escape when you first start the churn is very convenient, but not absolutely necessary. If you do not have such ventilator have a small hole bored in the churn, and pull the plug every few times round for three or four minutes when you first start the churn. After the gas has escaped no further attention is necessary until the butter comes. About $12 to $20 ought to buy a good churn suitable for a 100-cow creamery. You need about three or four 30-gallon cream cans, in which you can mix the sweet cream to sour. Always sour the cream. You get more butter and that of better keeping quality. Buy most any good hand-worker, having a capacity of 60 pounds. Work one tub at a time. If the tub holds 60 pounds you ought to weigh out 64 pounds. It will shrink in working from 6 to 8 per cent. Twelve to sixteen feet is large enough for the creamery proper. I think the ice-house should have a capacity of about 50 tons, providing you desire to use ice in the water to cool the milk. If you use a windmill to pump the water to cool the milk, a supply tank will be very important and save considerable ice. Usually the wind goes down at about 6 o'clock P. M., and does not rise until perhaps 9 P. M. Usually, also, there is very little wind in the morning before 8, so that with a large supply tank, protected from the sun, better results can be obtained than without one.

CURING A BALKY HORSE.

Many ways are recommended to cure a horse from balking, but a very sensible plan is given by a correspondent of the *Country Gentleman*. His idea is to make the horse forget that he tried to balk. For this purpose he tried him at the harrow if he balked in the wagon. If there was some particular place where he usually balked, the owner would stop him there, get out of the wagon and give him something to eat and he would forget that he wanted to balk and go on all right. A horse is susceptible to kindness, and cruel usage only hardens his nature and makes him obdurate. Let him get the idea that you intend to be cruel to him and he will be ugly to you. Treat him with kindness when you get him and he will forget unkind treatment received previously, and become gentle and tractable. The famous horse-breakers always conquer by kindness. If a horse refuses to start, give him a bite to eat and then after a moment, lead him away a rod or so, and the chances are he will go along and forget about the balking. If you use a horse in this way a few times, unless he is incorrigible and extremely ugly by nature, the chances are that he will learn to respect you and forget to balk. There are few horses that are really ugly, but some animals are of a hateful turn and are much harder to work than others.

PIE PLANT.

Already, and for a month, almost, city gardeners are bringing to market stalks of the rhubarb, or pie plant, that makes sauce earliest of all and is very healthy food. Here is something every farmer should grow carefully and not neglect. By the middle of March the market is bare of fruit and the appetite demands a change. The city liver pays high prices for all such articles of diet, but the farmer's family can have it always after a single planting. It is excellent as sauce and makes good pie fruit also. Coming so early and filling so important a place, no family with a rod square of land should forget or neglect it. There are new varieties to be had, and instead of planting seed one can get roots of it and it will last many years. Of course, it must have cultivation and be enriched well, but that is easily done, and then you have a rich reward in its early spring product.

MAKING GARDENS.

The first half of April is the time especially devoted to making gardens. There are many vegetables that are too tender to plant so soon, but the usual run of family gardening can be carried on after the 1st of April. Such vegetables as corn, beans and cucumbers can be planted later, but the ground should be prepared for all as early as possible and prepared well. The fault with ordinary gardens is that the ground is not plowed deep enough, and not thoroughly pulverized. The sub-soil plow must find its place in Oregon husbandry soon, and it would be much better for all concerned if it was at work already. Root crops want depth to go down, and rich soil to go down in. All garden crops would do far better on deep tillage than on shallow.

In his work on underdraining, A. N. Cole tells the effect on his garden land from deep and thorough working of the soil. Before that, potatoes had the rot and there was fungus on the plants because the soil was poor and not deeply plowed. In time he worked it eighteen inches deep, and took out the stones and sticks, digging ditches to underdrain it. The result was no worms, no fungus, no rot and nothing but lively growth and wonderful crops. The farm should have a garden spot of an acre prepared with great care, worked deep and well manured. On this it could produce much more than on undrained and shallow-plowed soil, and the garden would be the pride of the farm.

Sanfoin is a grass that is introduced in the dry regions of the mid-continent with wonderful success. The seedsmen will probably have it or can get it, but THE OREGONIAN only knows what exchanges say about it. If it meets the assurance given of its growth it will be a great blessing to the dry regions where vegetation is so scarce and grass doesn't grow well. A correspondent wants to know where to get it. We refer him to the seedsmen.

THE COMING ELECTION.

Some Reasons why Republicans Should Not Desert Their Party in the Coming Election and Waste Votes on Prohibition Candidates.

PORTLAND, April 9.

In the London *Fortnightly Review*, four years ago, Leonard Courtenay, M. P., a member of the British cabinet, thus clearly and candidly set forth the results that would follow the adoption by America of the English view of free trade policy: "If there existed between the United States and ourselves a perfectly free and open trade, a distribution of industry unfettered by tariffs and national jealousies, we should be, roughly speaking, the manufacturing member, and the United States the agricultural member of the partnership. It would thus appear that every development of freedom would tend to make us more and more the manufacturing center of the industrial world."

This is the whole free trade question in a nutshell, and the key to the officious efforts of England and her agents to establish it in America. Every sensible person understands, and none better than the Englishman, that it is by her manufactures and trade that England has obtained her present position—a position which she invites other nations to admire, though they must not dare to aspire to it.

Why then is it not the wisest economic policy for the United States to foster by every means in her power the manufactories which transform her raw materials into articles for the markets of the world? Is England prompted by feelings of fraternal interest when she distributes her free trade fructs in this country? Is her manifest anxiety to have the protection of our industries removed the result of that maternal solicitude to which American Anglomaniacs touchingly refer her actions? Let the history of her relations with this and other countries answer. How has it affected Ireland? When the union with England was brought about by falsehood, bribery and perjury, as Gladstone now proclaims to the world, as a sort of compensation for the destruction of her parliament, Ireland was allowed to retain her protective tariff. "During the twenty years it remained in force," Dean Swift says, "no country in Europe of its size and population ever prospered as she did." The British merchant beheld this prosperity with an envious eye, and petitioned parliament to abolish Irish protection. That body was only too willing to comply with his request, and notwithstanding their solemn agreement, signed and approved by their king, Ireland's protective system was abolished by imperial edict. Free trade once more ruled supreme, and the usual misery, starvation and ruin followed in its wake. Ireland's manufactories were destroyed by England's glutting her markets with her cheap, pauper-made goods. Thousands of operatives were thrown out of employment and were compelled to emigrate to other lands to seek that living denied them in their own. The population dwindled from 9,000,000 to less than 5,000,000. Famine and pestilence ravaged the land. The celebrated Dr. Cahill, relating the desolation of those days, says: "The principle of British free trade has introduced into Ireland scenes of woe no pen can paint. The people are exterminated. The ditches are filled with the weak and the aged. The poorhouses are places of pestilence and death; and the emigrant ship, like an ocean hearse, is sailing with her flag of distress hoisted, moving slowly through the waves, as she throws out her dead."

Let us examine her missionary work in China. She transported the poppy of India, from whose essence the poisonous opium drug is extracted, and forced it down the throats of the Chinese, despite the laws of the country and the direst mandate of the emperor. She battered their forts, sunk their war-junks, and burned their fortifications. The emperor beheld with saddened eye the slow destruction of his people, and was forced to sue for peace. Then this leading Christian nation of Europe made China pay the expenses of the war, £21,000,000, a war forced upon her against her wishes.

Open a page of her record in India, the ancient and venerable mother of the human race. She invaded her with the hypocritical pretense of spreading the gospel, but took good care that soldiers and traders were fast upon her heels. She murdered her people, robbed her of her treasures, burned her cities, and destroyed her manufactories by forcing her to adopt a free trade policy. Before the English invasion India was one of the most prosperous and contented countries in the world. Under her protective system she had a home market for her products. The average wages of a laborer was $1 50 a day, and that of an artisan $2 50 a day. Compare that with hunger-stricken, famine-wasted India of to-day. The wages of her 2,000,000 inhabitants would not average 8 cents a day. These things speak the unanswerable logic of facts. Now she comes to us in the guise of friendship, and strives, with the assistance of the democratic party, to introduce her pet scheme here, and relegate the American manufacturer to vegetable-raising, hog-feeding and wool-gathering, and the American workmen to 50 cents a day. England, to-day, as she was in 1776, as she was in 1812, as she was in 1861, is an enemy that needs watching. The prosperity and success of this republic she regards as a discreditable reflection on herself and the course she pursued when it was her dependent.

The issue is plain to every intelligent voter. He can allow himself to become England's dupe and the instrument of intriguing politicians, and signify his serfdom by deserting the republican party; or he can cast his vote for the representative of the soundest principles of political economy and humane government the brain of man has yet evolved. The defenders of this pernicious free trade heresy are marshaling their forces under Grover Cleveland's leadership. In his message he defined his position on the tariff. He set defiance in the face of a quarter of a century of material prosperity which has no parallel in the annals of the world's history. He turns his back upon an overflowing national treasury, unbounded national credit and unprecedented business activity, and tells us the policy which produced all this is radically wrong.

No republican who is true to his country's interests will disregard this vital issue and sacrifice his vote on the altar of prohibition. The most sanguine prohibitionist only hopes that his party will make a respectable showing and knows that there is not a shadow of a chance to elect a representative of his party to the presidency for years to come. All moral reforms are wrought by a slow and laborious process. The barriers of ignorance, prejudice and tradition oppose the onward march of progress and morality. We must seek the consummation of our hopes by the education of the rising generation in the millions of homes throughout the land. When the proper time arrives the party that struck the shackles from 4,000,000 of slaves; the party that has always arrayed itself on the side of progress and right will not be found wanting. Is it a mere coincidence that John F. St. John, who devoted his atlican party in New York in 1884, now selects Oregon, a state which the democrats are particularly anxious to carry, as the field of action? Is there not a little democratic gold back of this enthusiasm?

KING O'MALLEY

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Are the months in which to purify the blood, for at no other season is the body so susceptible to benefit from medicine. The peculiar purifying and reviving qualities of Hood's Sarsaparilla are just what are needed to expel disease and fortify the system against the debilitating effects of mild weather. Every year increases the popularity of Hood's Sarsaparilla, for it is just what people need at this season. It is the ideal spring medicine. If you have never tried it, do so, and you will be convinced of its peculiar merit.

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"For many months I suffered greatly. My whole system seemed to be entirely run down, my ambition was gone, had pains in my back, and a feeling of lassitude which I could not throw off. I was treated unsuccessfully for kidney trouble. One day at my brother's I saw a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla and determined to try it. Before the first bottle was taken I can candidly say I was relieved. I have used the medicine off and on ever since, and recommend it for kidney or liver complaints." MRS. W. R. STRANG, 257 Atlantic Avenue, Brooklyn N. Y.

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"I have used six bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla for indigestion. It has helped me a great deal. I think it the best medicine for indigestion and dyspepsia to be had." MRS. N. LAUDERDALE, 193 North Fifth Street, San Jose, Cal.

"I have taken one bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla for indigestion and it has done me a great deal of good." THEODORE WALLACE, Petaluma, Cal.

"I wish to say that I had salt rheum on my left arm three years, suffering terribly; it almost disabled me from work. I took three bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and the salt rheum has entirely disappeared." H. M. MILLS, Lowell, Mass.

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EXPERIENCES IN SOUTH AFRICA.

What an Englishman Observed During a Twenty-Years' Residence There—Native Doctors.

Messrs. Sampson Low & Co., of London, have just published for Dr. J. W. Matthews, late vice-president of the legislative council of South Africa, a volume entitled "Incwadi Yami; or Twenty Years' Personal Experience in South Africa," in which a great deal of information is given about that country.

Astonishing ingenuity is sometimes displayed to "run" illicit diamonds. Here is a case in point: "One man named Phillips had the heels of his boots made hollow and filled up with rough diamonds, sealing them down with wax. The handles of his traveling trunk were also made to remove, empty spaces behind being constructed for the same purpose. Kaffirs were employed as runners at night; in the day white horsemen, nicknamed 'troopers,' were paid to face the risks, the diamonds they carried being wrapped in lead so that they could be dropped in the grass if danger loomed in the distance and then recovered again at leisure. Others of this ilk, again, having swallowed the precious stones, ran the gauntlet safely, in open defiance of detectives, with the diamonds in their stomachs. Horses were fed with balls of meat containing diamonds, driven across the border before the very eyes of the detectives, where, in course of nature, the diamonds were restored to the hands of their keepers. Dogs, too, were starved until they bolted lumps of meat in which diamonds were imbedded. The tails of oxen and wings of fowls were often utilized, passing the border unsuspected and unexamined, while carrier-pigeons, instead of carrying valuable information, were used to transport valuable diamonds to Free Town, in the Orange Free State, and Christiana, in the Transvaal."

As an instance of what risks natives employed at the diggings will run in order to conceal diamonds, it is mentioned that on a post-mortem examination being made on a native who died under suspicious circumstances, a sixty-carat rough diamond was found in his stomach.

Kaffirs working on the diamond fields often adopt strikingly curious names. Natives are by no means destitute of a sense of humor, and very often when they have been working for an employer of passionate disposition, and have been addressed by him in no complimentary terms, they voluntarily retain as their appellation some abusive title or strong objurgation of which he has made use in the course of his remonstrances. I have not infrequently known a magistrate, on asking a native prisoner his name, to receive the reply 'G—d—n,' or 'Bl—dy Fool,' while on one unfortunate fellow, when asked the same question in the charge office, promptly answered: 'Go to H—l,' and it was not until he had been twice or three times knocked down for his apparent insolence that the sergeant discovered that the native had simply given a truthful if startling answer to the question put to him. Such names as 'Cape smoke' (i. e., colonial brandy), 'Pontac,' and other alcoholic terms are not uncommon, while 'Sixpence' is one of the most favorite names of the natives."

Dr. Matthews made an intimate acquaintance with the customs of the native doctors. There are four classes of doctors. The wizard or witch doctor is a very cunning, shrewd fellow, and he must also be a doctor of medicine. Rain doctors are supposed to have the power of causing rain to fall, and are appealed to after a long drought, but they are clever enough never to commence their incantations until indications of rain are discernible, and consequently they are always sure of success. Next comes the lightning doctors, who dance around the kraals they have been summoned to defend, brandishing their assegais during the flashes and violence of the storm in a manner that suggests insanity to the European observer. Naturally they are more frequently successful than unsuccessful. The hail doctors, again, believe that by burning medicine while the hail is yet distant they diminish its power, and that when they leave their huts to command it to depart it will return whence it came. Last, but not least is the medicine doctor. Sickness, the natives believe, is always caused by an enemy or by the will of the spirits of their departed ancestors or relatives, who generally protect them from harm, but who, being sometimes angry, allow sickness to overtake them or the machinations of their enemies to prevail. The doctor's father and grandfather have generally been in the profession before him, and the secrets of the healing art have thus been handed down from generation to generation, though in some instances he is a self-taught man, who has picked up some knowledge of diseases, roots, and herbs, by observation and experience; but no faith whatever is reposed in the doctor or diviner who happens to be fat. The medicines employed are mostly innocent, but still many powerful drugs are included in their pharmacopœia; for instance, they use the male fern as a remedy for tape-worm, emetics by the gallon for slight ailments, and as correctives, after their beer-drinking orgies, other medicaments so powerful that whole families, both black and white, have been carried off by their relations; but, on the other hand, so mixed up with useless and so much to throw physic to be the cause of "no one did not recover until the doctor had been called in, the disease left to nature; but in Natal now the doctor requires a shilling nominally to the same time he stipulates a bullock in case of cure. rule they administer he ing it effects to believe in Medicine or Nature, for majority are the most known. Some who ranks sion travel from place to place result of their skill and nature, return home months or a year, season of large herds of of medicine is also often so combine in one a branches of the profession."

Death Comes to
The following poem was Shirley, who lived two centuries

The glories of our blood and state
Are shadows, not substantial things;
There is no armor against fate;
Death levels his key hand on all
Scepter and

...ercial.

...Monday April 9.

...arrived or soon to arrive by ... Tuesday, 350 or 40 kegs syrup, 4 cs ... 1 cs cigarettes, 54 bbls or butts 3 cs to... 10 cs coconut, 90 tcs hay, 1 bdl 510 cs lem... 1 bdl tube pipe, 3 cars wagons, 11 bxs ... 1 bdl carriage springs, 2 cs buggies, 94 ... 1 bdl harness, 2 cs harness, 1 cs saddles, 37 ... 1 bdl wood rims, 19 bdls printing paper, 95 ... 1 bdl sheet iron, 19 bdls printing paper, 95 ... 1 bdl chairs, 12 bbls ... bx glassware, 5 cs

LIVELY TIMES AHEAD.

Active Work of Railroad Construction to Begin within a Month.

Bids for the Eureka Flat, Lewiston and Heppner Branches to be Opened this Week--Depot Buildings--The Dry Dock, etc.

Within the next month, Portland will see more activity than has been experienced since the prosperous era of railroad construction which ceased in the fall of 1883. Several important measures undertaken by the Oregon Railway & Navigation Company await only the return of General Manager Holcomb, now in Omaha conferring with President Adams, of the Union Pacific. Mr. Holcomb starts for Portland to-day.

During his absence, eleven bids for building the Heppner, the Eureka Flat and the Lewiston branches of the O. R. & N. line were received. These have not yet been opened. To-morrow, Mr. Edward Cookingham, chief clerk, and Mr. W. H. Kennedy, chief engineer, will go up the road to meet Mr. Holcomb and take the bids with them, opening them on the train home and thus saving time. It is likely that contracts will be awarded within a week from this time, and work will commence as soon as the plants can be got ready. Not less than eighty miles of road will be built this season, and perhaps 150 miles.

The railroad bridge will be finished within a month, and very soon freight and passenger trains of the O. R. & N. will arrive at and depart from this side of the river, and the vexed question of a passenger depot and freight warehouses on the Couch lake property cannot be put off much longer. Readers of THE OREGONIAN will remember that this property is owned by the Northern Pacific Terminal Company, whose bonds were guaranteed by the O. R. & N., the Northern Pacific and the O. & C. (now owned by the Southern Pacific.) Ever since Mr. Holcomb came to Portland he has done everything in his power to bring about unity of action between the three companies relative to terminal facilities on this side of the river. On account of the topography of the section owned by the terminal company, the division of "yard" room has not been easy, and it is a matter resting almost entirely with the engineering department of the three companies interested. The engineers are thoroughly familiar with the problem, and now that trains will actually be running into Portland within a short time, we may look for the construction of depots to follow immediately.

The dry dock will be put into service as soon as possible. Application has been made to the secretary of war for the use of the government dredger in removing the bar which has formed in front of the gates. Major Jones has recommended that the application be granted and there is hardly a doubt but that the department will give its permission. Despite the fact that the dock had been absolutely neglected for more than five years, it has suffered little. It leaks less than six inches every twenty-four hours, and the pumps have no trouble in keeping it clear. There is no fear of lack of business when the dock is once ready to receive vessels; on the contrary, it is pretty certain that ships will crowd upon each other for turns to get in.

Of the 25,000 tons of English steel rails ordered by the O. R. & N. Co. late last year about 8000 tons has been received here. Most of it was unloaded directly from the several ships lying at the Albina wharf to cars in waiting and sent forward to where it will be laid, with one handling. The steel is of the best quality. The heaviest rail, seventy pounds, will be laid on the mountain division and that now in use there will be transferred to side lines.

All this is what one company will do and it means the employment of much labor. Then, too, the cable road will commence building operations in a few days, and so far as railroads can stimulate activity, Portland will be active the next few months.

LOCAL NOTES.

The hotel subsidy still hangs fire at $140,000.

Abe L. Danziger has gone to San Francisco to complete his trade at Crocker & Co.'s.

Chester Hathaway, the 7-year-old son of Homer M. Hathaway, formerly of Portland, died Sunday at Pomeroy, W. T.

Minnie Reynolds was arrested by Constable Sprague yesterday, charged with stealing wearing apparel worth $22 from Lena Vernon.

The Oregon Alpine Club is now ready to receive promised mineral and botanical specimens at their room in the Portland Savings Bank building.

The Alpine club are negotiating with Mr. Amos J. Walker, advance agent of Charles Dickens, to give two or more readings here during the month of May.

The report of the death of Policeman Henline, received at the police station at an early hour yesterday morning, proved to be groundless. Mr. Henling was much better yesterday.

E. A. Jones, was arrested on a warrant from Justice Tuttle's court yesterday, charged with stealing $12.50 from Isabella Reed, a patient, and will have an examination to-day.

Chris Olsen and Louis Wilson, charged with robbing Mrs. Anna Rasmussen of $426, were arraigned in the police court yesterday and pleaded not guilty. Their examinations were set for to-day.

The final reports of Henry Schade, executor of the estate of Herman Steinburg, was filed in the county court yesterday, showing the total receipts to have been $341 10; disbursements $143 40; balance on hand $197 70.

The sidewalk at the northeast corner of Fourth and Madison street also needs repair. Recently heavy teams, loaded with earth used in leveling the plaza block, were driven over it, and it is in a very dilapidated condition.

The plat of James W. and Ianthe Cook's addition to Albina was filed in the county clerk's office yesterday. It is situated in S 27, Tp 1 N, R 1 E, and is a portion of the Wendle and Elizabeth Proebstel donation land claim.

The steamer Herminia started for Fort Stevens on Saturday towing a barge with a load of rock from W berg & Johnson's quarry, near Washougal, for the government works. Up to last evening nothing had been heard from her.

In the state circuit court yesterday Wm. Harris sued Ladd & Tilton, bankers, for the recovery of a certificate of deposit for $303, and $30 damages for the detention of the same. Plaintiff alleges that the defendants hold the certificate and refuse to deliver it.

Four members of the fishing party mentioned yesterday caught ninety-five trout, and the other, the young man who gave the little boy two bits, caught very a one. His belief in the efficacy of prayer is somewhat shaken; but then the boy was only a little one.

Thomas Connell made an application in the state circuit court yesterday for the partition of lots 5, 6, 7 and 8, block 86, Stephens's addition to East Portland, between himself and Edward Haunstein, a minor. He alleges that they are equally interested in the lots in question.

The funeral services over T. H. Allen, Jr., took place in Taylor-street M. E church yesterday afternoon in the presence of a large number of people, Rev Alfred Kummer officiating. The body was escorted to River View cemetery by the Masons, where it was buried with Masonic rites.

The re-organized Portland Cable Railway Company is busy now in getting matters into shape, which will be finished in a few days, when the work of construction will be resumed. It is the object to push work without delay, and to this end the details are being perfected as above stated.

The run of fish at the mouth of the river below Tongue Point continues very light, the few boats out not averaging more than three fish each: Above Tongue Point and as far up as Tenas Illahe, the boats are doing better, averaging about fifteen fish each. This part of the river is always the best for early fishing.

State Railroad Commissioner Slater and Waggoner went to Good Samaritan hospital yesterday, and took the testimony of Messrs. Ralston and Yocum and Rev. Mr. Milligan, who were injured by the accident on the Portland & Willamette Valley road March 22. No more evidence will be taken in the matter.

Grass is still backward on the ranges, owing to cool weather, and there is no likelihood of any good tat cattle being brought in from grass before the middle of May, or perhaps the 1st of June. Still fed cattle are growing scarce, but as there were so many more than usual fed this season there will probably be enough to last till grass fed beef comes in.

The county commissioners of Washington county should cause guide boards to be erected at all cross roads for the benefit of unsophisticated fishermen. Two gentlemen started from this city Sunday for Dairy creek, and at evening reached the St. Helens road, near Philo Holbrooks. They caught no trout, but had the pleasure of seeing a lot of very fine country.

The three commissioners sent out here to re-survey the lands on the Umatilla Indian reservation, and who left here for that place over a month ago, are reported to be making good progress with their work and expect to complete it in about two weeks. For several weeks nothing was heard of them here, and it was feared that they had got lost or struck out for home across lots.

PROBABLY FATAL ACCIDENT.

A Carpenter Falls From a Dwelling and Strikes Upon His Head.

About 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, A. B. Deaton, a carpenter living in Albina, met with an accident which will probably prove fatal. He was employed on Rev. W. S. Holt's dwelling, under construction on South First street, just beyond the O. & C. track, and was at work on the gable, about 25 feet high, when the scaffolding gave way and he fell. He caught on a projecting timber, about one-third of the way down, but held on only a second, when he let go, and, turning half a somersault, struck, head downwards, upon the ground. One of the conical vertebræ was probably fractured.

Dr. W. H. Taylor was summoned and had the patient conveyed to the Good Samaritan hospital. The body from the neck down is entirely paralyzed. Mr. Deaton was dazed by the fall, but soon returned to consciousness, and was perfectly conscious during the evening. The injury seems to be exactly parallel with that received by Simpson, a prisoner in the city jail, who, several months ago, jumped from a bunk to the hard floor, striking on his head, and the paralytic effect is just the same. Simpson lived two weeks.

The accident was caused, so the man's fellow workmen say, by his own neglect. He had put up the scaffolding and drove only one nail, intending to drive more, but unfortunately forgetting it until the accident came. Mr. Deaton is 45 years old and has a wife and three small children. He is spoken of as a very industrious man, of excellent character.

ODD FELLOWS CELEBRATION.

Interesting Programme for Two Days' Exercises, the Sixty-ninth Anniversary.

The Odd Fellows of Portland and East Portland will celebrate the sixty-ninth anniversary of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows in an appropriate manner. Several lodges from other cities have accepted the invitation to be present, and without doubt this celebration will be a red letter event in the history of the order in this state. The oration will be delivered by that well-known orator on Odd Fellowship, Past Grand Master Wm. H. Barnes, of California. The exercises will be as follows:

Thursday morning, April 26—Reception of the visiting lodges. In the afternoon, grand procession of all lodges, encampments and Rebekah degree lodges participating, to the the Tabernacle, where the anniversary exercises as laid down by the Sovereign Grand Lodge will be held and the oration by Bro. Wm. H. Barnes delivered. Thursday evening—Grand I. O. O. F. ball at the the new armory hall, corner North Ninth and C streets.

Friday evening, April 27—A grand literary and musical reunion free to Odd Fellows, their families and a limited number of friends, will be given at the Tabernacle by Bro. Wm. Barnes, P. G. M., assisted by the best talent obtainable in this city.

To enable all Odd Fellows of the Northwest to participate, arrangements have been made with the O. R. & N. Co., O. & C. and N. P. railroads, whereby all brothers, their families and friends pay full fare to Portland and one-fifth fare only to return. Tickets good from April 24 until April 30.

TRADE WITH COAST PORTS.

Necessity for a Steamship Making Regular Trips —Portland's Opportunity.

Among the great needs of Portland's commerce is a steamer to run from the Columbia river to coast ports. A fine trade could be established and maintained with Gray's harbor, Shoalwater bay, Yaquina, Umpqua and other ports on the coast, if a steamer were at hand to make stated trips so that the service could be depended on. But without such steamer the trade is a very uncertain quantity. Following is an extract from a letter received by a business house in Portland:

ELMA, W. T., April 5.

I would trade more with you if I could get goods sooner after being ordered. The merchants of Portland are losing thousands of dollars every month from this country by having no boat running regularly to Gray's harbor. We are compelled to trade in San Francisco for this reason.

This letter furnishes a suggestion that ought to be acted on. A company has been incorporated here to put a steamer in the trade between Portland and the coast ports, and nearly $20,000 have been subscribed. For the purpose about $40,000 will be required, and the remainder ought to be forthcoming. It would be of great service to the business of Portland.

RATES ON ORE RAISED.

Another Complaint From a Coeur d'Alene Mine Owner—Oregon Literature Needed.

Van B. DeLashmutt returned from the East yesterday. He reports that the Northern Pacific has raised the rate on ore from Coeur d'Alene City, Idaho, to Garrison, M. T., from $5 to $7 40 per ton. The first named rate was made some time ago to encouragements shipments to Helena, but when Mr. DeLashmutt and others began shippingore from the Stemwinder and other mines they billed it for Denver, thus getting the benefit of the $5 rate. This raise was the Northern Pacific's answer to Portland's demand for lower rates on ore from Coeur d'Alene. Mr. DeLashmutt thinks that it will not interfere with the ore shipments to Denver.

Mr. DeLashmutt returned on the Oregon Short Line, and says that on the entire distance from Omaha to The Dalles, not a bit of literature descriptive of Oregon could be had. He favors the establishment of an agency at Green river, the diverging point of the Central Pacific and Oregon Short Line, and another at St. Paul, where West bound immigrants could be supplied with pamphlets descriptive of Oregon.

THE HOLLADAY ESTATE.

Official Order Dismissing the Protest of Esther Holladay—Monthly Report.

In the estate of Ben Holladay Judge Stearns has issued a decree ordering that the order of the county court sustaining the motion of Joseph Holladay to dismiss the protest of Esther Holladay be affirmed and that Joseph Holladay recover from Esther Holladay $71 50 costs and disbursements. This is in accordance with the decision of the supreme court.

Joseph Holladay and George W. Weidler, receivers of the Ben Holladay estate, have filed their fifteenth report in the circuit court of which the following is an epitome:

Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1887	$2510 10
Receipts	1249 00
Total	$3759 10
Disbursements	1432 41
Balance on hand	$2326 69

"Equipment Perfect."
East Washingtonian.

Last Saturday THE DAILY OREGONIAN appeared in a "new dress" and was printed from stereotype plates for the first time. The equipment of the paper is now as perfect as could be desired.

The Babies Cry for It.

And the old folks laugh when they find that the pleasant California liquid fruit remedy, Syrup of Figs, is more easily taken and more beneficial in its action than other medicines. It strengthens the Liver, Kidneys, Stomach and Bowels, while it promotes them to a healthy activity. For sale in 50 cent and $1 bottles by all druggists. Smith, Bettman & Woodard, Agents.

THE ADVERTISING FUND.

Special Meeting of the Immigration Board—$15,000 Subscribed.

The Co-Operative Committee to be Selected Next Thursday—State Board of Agriculture Contribute $100—Applications for Positions.

A special meeting of the Oregon Immigration Board was held yesterday afternoon to hear the reports of the soliciting committees and discuss matters appertaining to the proposed work of advertising Portland and her tributary country. Present, Commissioners Dodd, Corbett and Hughes.

The board committee on contributions, Messrs. H. W. Corbett and C. F. Dodd, reported that they had secured the total sum of $796 per month. Several prominent firms and individuals had promised liberal subscriptions, who would be reported in a few days. They had been unable to see some others who were down on their list and who would undoubtedly subscribe.

T. A. Wood and Joseph Waddle, on behalf of the citizen's committee, reported $390 per month subscribed. Other minor subscriptions swell the aggregate amount now obtained to $1200 per month or a total for the year of $14,400.

The board feel confident of raising the full sum asked for, viz.: $2500 per month. Enough is now pledged to justify the appointment of the co-operative committee to act in conjunction with the immigration board in the expenditure of the money, and Chairman Dodd, with this object in view, has called a meeting of the subscribers to be held in the board rooms, corner Front and Ash streets, at 3 P. M. on Thursday next, the 12th inst. The co-operative committee to be elected at this meeting will, in connection with the immigration board, have full charge of the details of the scheme for advertising; and it is expected at the meeting on Thursday that definite plans will be agreed upon and the work actively begun.

At the meeting yesterday Secretary Strubel was instructed to prepare matter for an eight-page folder and solicit sealed bids from the various job printers for an edition of 50,000 copies of the same, the matter and the bids to be considered at the meeting on Thursday.

Several applications were presented from persons desiring to represent the board in California and the Eastern centers. These were filed and will be considered after the appointment of the co-operative committee.

The following communication from the state board of agriculture was read:

OFFICE OF THE OREGON STATE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE, SALEM, April 4.

To the Oregon State Board of Immigration—*Gentlemen*: On behalf of the state board of agriculture I write to inform you that at a late meeting of the executive committee of said board it was ordered that the secretary be authorized and requested to draw a warrant on the treasurer in favor of the Oregon state board of immigration for the sum of $100, as a contribution to assist them in continuing their work of encouraging immigration to this state.

The members of the committee requested me to say to you that the state board of agriculture feel that you and they are striving in a common cause for the general welfare of Oregon, and by this means desire to express their interest in your labor.

The only regret the board feel in this instance is that the limited fund at their disposal prevents them from making a more liberal donation. They hope that the sum herewith enclosed will be of advantage to you in your work, and wish me to assure you that they are and will be glad to do all they can to assist you in your enterprising and generous efforts. Yours very truly,

J. T. GREGG, Secretary O. S. B. A.

On motion of Mr. Corbett the board of immigration gave a unanimous vote of thanks to the state board of agriculture for their kind contribution, and decided to fittingly acknowledge receipt of the same by letter.

During the meeting an informal discussion of plans for the future work was had. There is evinced on the part of every member of the board a determination to place Portland and our state in their just light before the general public. We may confidently expect lively work when the full committee get down to business. It is astonishing how many favorable points can be cited concerning our city when the question is thoroughly considered; at least such was the conclusion of one member of the board after the brief discussion of yesterday.

THE STAGE.

NEW PARK THEATER.—The Harrison & Rogers Company opened their engagement last evening in the military melodrama "The Paymaster," written by Mr. Duncan Bradley Harrison, who also personates the leading role. The play is a well-constructed workmanship and clean in plot, earnest, and at times, brilliant in dialogue, and is mounted in a style to command the highest commendation. Especially fine are the Indianapolis barracks scene in the second act, and the banks of the river of the same name in the fourth act. The story of the play is briefly as follows: Robert Emmett O'Connor (The Paymaster) is in love with an Irish heiress, Esther Miley, who is also loved by Col. Houghton, commanding the regiment. The colonel dislikes The Paymaster no less on this account than because he was appointed from civil life and is an Irishman to boot. Opportunity offering during the temporary absence of the paymaster on pay day, the colonel abstracts a large sum of money from his cash box, and then arrests him for defalcation. In taking the money, however, he breaks his knife in forcing the door of the room in which the money is placed, and also picks up Miss Miley's glove which she had dropped in the room. After placing the paymaster under arrest the colonel vindictively arranges to send him to Dublin to be tried by an old enemy of his (the paymaster's) father. Learning of this, the paymaster, aided by his faithful servant Larry, escapes from his prison, and in the disguise of an old man returns to his home where he is concealed by his friends until, through the faithful devotion of a fellow-officer, Captain Hammersleigh, and his servant Larry his innocence is proven, the guilty colonel is unmasked and Robert and Esther are united.

The company is a good one and work exceedingly well together. Mr. Harrison as the hero, Robert Emmett O'Connor, did a very neat and effective piece of acting. He was natural and easy in all his scenes, and displayed an earnestness and intelligence in his delineation that marked the painstaking actor. Mr. Harry J. Morgan's Capt. Hammersleigh was one of the best pieces of work of the evening, as was also that of John I. Williams, as Sergeant Upton. Neil O'Brien's Colonel Houghton was also a very clever piece of work. Thomas F. O'Malley made a most admirable Larry. His natural physiognomy is well fitted for such a role as this, and he threw into it all the action which a good Irish character role demands. Miss Annie Adams, who is old favorite in Portland, and always an honest, conscientious actress, played Mrs. Helen O'Connor, the paymaster's mother, with quiet dignity, yet with all the dramatic force the part demands. Her exit in the third act was finely made, and received merited applause. Miss Lea Raymond made a charming Esther Miley, and Mrs. Polly King a good Mrs Capt. Harding. The role of Moyna Sullivan, though a small one, was modestly and neatly delineated by Mrs. Duncan Bradley Harrison—her first appearance, by the way. The play was well mounted and costumed, and barring the long waits incident to a first night, when all the scenery has to be set up for the first time, went smoothly throughout. "The Paymaster" again to-night.

SUICIDE.

Wednesday evening, about half past 8 o'clock, says the Lewiston *Teller*, a man named George W. Strong, aged about thirty-two years, came into a saloon and called for a drink, and then said he would like to go into the card room and be by himself a short time. He was granted permission. In about one or two minutes a shot was heard, on opening the door he was found lying on the floor, shot through the forehead and gasping. He lived till about 9 o'clock, and then breathed his last. He had been at work for a man named Robinett down at Pomeroy, came up here on Saturday last, and had been drinking some. No cause was assigned for the rash act. He had cashed a note at the bank and had purchased a pistol and ammunition with the money. An inquest was held held by Coroner Simpson.

Walking advertisements for Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy are the thousands it has cured.

Turkish rugs will be sold at auction to-day, at 128 First street, beginning at 10:30 A. M.

THE INDUSTRIAL FAIR.

Sixty-Four Thousand Dollars Subscribed in Four Days.

Organization to be Effected this Week—Something of the Plans and Purposes of the New Enterprise.

The scheme to found a new industrial fair is going to be a success. The following persons subscribed yesterday, making the total cash subscriptions to date $64,400. C. H. Lewis, Van B. DeLashmutt, Walter F. Burrell, H. B. Gatzman, Samuel Lowenstein, Wm. Kapus, O. P. S. Plummer, Fabian Byerly, Eugene D. White, C. H. Meussdorffer, H. T. Hudson, Henry E. Reed, H. C. Eckenberger, John Bays, H. W. Wallace, L. & I. White, R. M Wade, Frank McDermott, Andrew Kan (additional subscription), Samuel R. Stott, E. M. Palmer, Thomas Connell, A. F. Wheeler, F. D. Chamberlain, John M. A. Laue, Meier & Frank, Cohen, Davis & Co., A. M. Crocker, Charles McGinn, L. C. Henrichsen, F. Opitz, H R. Duniway & Co., Olds & King, James F. Watson, Lewis L. McArthur, Ward S. Stevens, W. M. Killingsworth, Charles A. Malarkey, S. J. Barber.

"We wish to thank the people for the very kind manner in which we have been received," said Mr. George B. Markle, who, with Mr. Frank Deknm, has been instrumental in raising the subscriptions, to an OREGONIAN reporter yesterday. "Everybody has evinced the greatest kindness and enthusiasm. The success we have met with means that we will have an exhibit in October."

Until the new company is legally organized no steps can be taken toward admitting the larger Mechanics' fair stockholders into the enterprise. One gentleman prominently identified with the Industrial fair stated that he was willing to give the stockholders in the Mechanics' Fair Association stock in the new company to the extent of 50 per cent. of their old holdings, viz.: $7500 in Industrial fair stock for the $15,000 of Mechanics' fair stock. Whether this offer, if officially made, will be accepted, is an open question, but certain it is that two fairs won't pay, and it is not easy to guess which enterprise must go to the wall.

Few people have an idea of the scope of the proposed industrial fair, and it may be said in a general way that the promoters intend to make it so large and so complete an institution that no other city on the Northwest coast will attempt an opposition. Having secured six full blocks, they will have building room not only for present but future exhibitions; not only for Portland, but for all of Oregon and Washington. They will provide space and ask every county in the state to make exhibits. Clatsop county can display salmon and lumber, Baker county can send ore and wool, Coos county can send coal, and every other county fruit, grains, grasses and vegetables. These will help to build up the fair and the fair will help to build up the counties. It will promote friendly relations between city and country. Nor will the county exhibits be shown only in fair time. They will be allowed to remain permanently, and the hall kept open the year round, and eastern visitors directed to them, thus creating an agency for promoting settlement equal almost to the board of immigration, and in some respects superior.

There will be ample room for machinery, for general exhibits, for floral displays, for an art gallery, for special features, and, better than all, for the crowds. But it is not the intention of the men interested in the new fair to confine it alone to exhibits of the ordinary kind, however large or varied. Financial success is necessary, and especial efforts will be made to "catch the crowds"—to furnish something that people will talk about. How many hundred people every night at more than one fair stopped to see the man making jugs out of clay? It was not an everyday sight. Would a thousand, or a million jugs if piled up in rows be worth looking at? We all know that the object of making exhibits is to advertise them, and the more attractive the exhibit, the more effective is the advertisement. Who cares to give more than a passing glance at a lot of sealskin cloaks hung on dummies? But get half a dozen mechanical dolls of different sizes, that will move and bow and bat their eyes and turn around, dress them well and then adorn them with sealskin sacks, and you arrest the attention of every visitor from child to grandfather. Who cares to look twice at a great big cask of beer? Let a man exhibit a miniature brewery, with mini ture men rolling barrels of beer upon a miniature steamboat plying on a miniature river, or put the beer on cars which steam away, all working automatically, and he has something that people will crowd around from morning till night. Other exhibits will suggest themselves to manufacturers and dealers. Of course, these things cost considerable money, and the Industrial fair will adopt a policy of dividing the expense with exhibitors.

A company is being organized in the East to make a cyclorama of Niagara Falls and take it to London. There will be real water and painted water; real rocks and painted rocks. It is possible, at not great expense, to make a cyclorama of Multnomah Falls and place it in the new fair. As an attraction it would be worth many times its cost. There will be new features every year, and more than ever will fair time be made the season for people of the interior to come to Portland.

It is proposed when the new fair is opened to have a grand "rally," as they say in politics. The governors of Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Montana and California will be asked to come, and invitations will be sent to pioneers all over the Northwest. We can make it a holiday in Portland, and instead of having the first night 500 people in attendance, there can just as well be 5000.

BLOOD-THIRSTY HUNGARIANS.

A Quarrel Which Led to a Pistol Shot and a Surrender.

Frank Darby, a young Hungarian employed in the wire works at No. 104 North Ninth street, came to the police station last evening and surrendered himself, stating that he had shot Paul Barbaras, another Hungarian, who peddles wire baskets, etc., around the streets. The two had been engaged in a drunken quarrel and Barbaras had grasped Darby by the throat, as he claims, and thrown him to the floor, Darby's thumb being badly bitten in the row. They were then separated, and Darby went to his room and got a cheap little pistol, warranted not to kill except by accident, and on coming back Barbaras flew at him again, when he fired the shot.

The bullet was found in the floor, having only gone through Barbaras's shirt and made a red spot on his carcass, but Darby imagined he had killed his man and so gave himself up. It is probably fortunate for him that he did so, as Barbaras's friends were out seeking him in the darkness, with the avowed intention of lynching him.

NATIONAL GUARD ORDER.

Review and Battalion Drill Friday Evening in Honor of Officers' Convention.

HEADQUARTERS FIRST REGIMENT, OREGON NATIONAL GUARD, PORTLAND, Or., April 9, 1888.

General Orders, No. 7.)

I. The following resignations have been accepted by the commander-in-chief:

Capt. D. C. Southworth, Company "E," to take effect March 31; Capt. F. G. Abell, company "A," Capt. M. J. McMahan, and Second Lieut. J. A. Dryden, Company "F," to take effect from date.

II. By virtue of authority contained in S. O. No. 6 c. s. A. G. O. dated March 19, 1888, Company "F," of this regiment is hereby *disbanded*. Transfers, enabling the completion of unexpired enlistments, will be made to other companies in the regiment, or to a new company should such be organized, if applied for within sixty days from date.

III. So much of par. II, G. O. No. 5 c. s. these headquarters, as refers to battalion drill by details from companies of this regiment on Friday, April 13, is hereby revoked.

IV. Companies "A," "D," "E," "G," "I" and "K," of this regiment, will parade uniformed and equipped on Friday, April 13, for review and battalion drill in commemoration of the assembling of the national guard convention of Assembly of the States, at 8:15 o'clock, Field and staff will report to the colonel, and non-commissioned staff to the adjutant at the same place, at 8 o'clock P. M.

V. Admission to the armory on Friday evening will be governed by the issue of tickets, which can be obtained by members of the regiment for distribution to their friends, upon application to their company commandants.

VI. The national guard convention will assemble in this armory on Thursday, April 12, and remain in session during that day and evening and the day following. Visiting officers will wear the uniform continuously during the two days named, and as an evidence of courtesy, aside from the manifest advantages involved, officers of this regiment will conform, and will appear in uniform at all times on the 12th and 13th instants, as far as practicable.

By order of COL. BEEBE.
E. W. MOORE,
1st Lieut. and Adjutant.

RAIL AND RIVER.

The O. R. & N. Expected to Take Hold of the Towage Service—Transportation Notes.

There will be a meeting of the transcontinental association at New York on the 17th inst. Mr. B. Campbell, general freight agent of the O. R. & N., will be the only representative from Portland. Nothing of particular interest is down on the programme.

From the promises held out to the Portland committee when they visited New York, it is thought that the O. R. & N. Co. will put a towing service on the Columbia river bar as soon as General Manager Holcomb returns and can make the necessary arrangements.

A new time schedule for O. R. & N. boats on Puget sound went into effect yesterday. One of the big steamers leaves Tacoma at 3:30 A. M. instead of 6:30 and reaches Victoria at 5:30 P. M. The night boat leaves at 6:45, arrives at Seattle 9 P. M., leaves Seattle at 3 A. M. and reaches Tacoma at 5.15.

The Emma Hayward leaves Olympia 6 A. M., touches at Tacoma at 10, and reaches Seattle 12 15 P. M. Returning leaves Seattle 1 P. M., touches at Tacoma 3:15 and arrives at Olympia at 7 P. M. The fare from Olympia to Seattle has been reduced to 50 cents, round trip 75 cents; to Tacoma 25 cents; from Tacoma to Seattle 25 cents.

The O. R. & N. Company intend to boom the river excursion business next summer. All the boats are being put through a fresh paint, and with increased accommodations, a great many Eastern visitors are expected to take trips to Oregon City, to Astoria and the Cascades. Reasonable rates will be made, and it is thought that the idea of making these all day excursions will grow popular among residents of Portland, who desire to avoid the crowds attending church and other excursions.

Relative to the statement from the Goldendale *Sentinel*, published in yesterday's OREGONIAN, that white paper was shipped at lower rates from Tacoma to Eastern Washington than from Portland, General Freight Agent Campbell, of the O. R. & N., stated yesterday that the *Sentinel* must be misinformed. The rate from Portland to Grandin (the nearest rail point to Goldendale) is 45 cents per hundred. The rate from Tacoma to Portland is 20 cents, and the Northern Pacific pays the local rate from Portland to Grant's. This gives Portland the advantage of 20 cents a hundred.

Travel to Astoria is increasing and both night boats of the O. R. & N. have as many passengers as they can accommodate comfortably. The company have taken a long lease of Flavel's wharf, and hereafter passengers, baggage and express freight will be landed there, the large wharf being reserved exclusively for heavy freight. As soon as the new Telephone goes on the route the fare to Astoria will not be more than 50 cents. There will be lively times for a few days.

The company are more than pleased with the new boat, the Fannie Potter. She is expected to make the fastest time ever recorded on the river; but then Capt. Scott's new boat is to hear from.

The first carload of fresh salmon of the season was shipped from here last Saturday for New York by Charles B. Trescott. They went in the new refrigerator car over the Short Line on a passenger train. A telegram from Wansatter, Wyoming, 1071 miles east of here, dated yesterday at 2 P. M. says: "Salmon in fine condition; temperature in car 32 degrees; everything O. K." The only trouble about shipping fresh salmon in a cold-storage car is to keep the car at an even temperature. To do this there must be a new supply of ice every day, and in regular quantities, so that the temperature will not rise or fall. Should this venture prove successful, which is more than probable, there will be regular carload shipments throughout the season. The cost of transportation is much less than by express.

THE FEDERATED TRADES.

A Harmonious Meeting of the Assembly—The Celebration of Labor Day.

The Federated Trades Assembly held a regular meeting last night, President T. F. Mahan in the chair. Joseph Keith and John Berg presented credentials from the Painters' and Decorators' Union, and were admitted. Progress in organizing the cabinetmakers was reported, and notice was given that the Laborers' Union had elected delegates to the assembly. Great interest was manifested in the celebration of Labor Day, May 26. The moulders, stonemasons, printers, carpenters, painters, and roofers and cornicemakers expressed willingness to turn out in parade on that day, and some of the unions, it was stated, were preparing banners and floats illustrating their trades. An invitation was extended to all labor organizations in Portland and suburbs to co-operate in observance of the day.

The stonemasons' delegate announced that his union at a special meeting Sunday last decided to adopt the nine-hour system on May 1, with the present scale, $3 a day. He thought the present friction between the stonemasons and stonecutters' unions would wear away speedily.

A committee consisting of John O'Brien, John Montag and T. F. Mahan was appointed to obtain from the several unions a statement of needed legislation, and to secure the views of political candidates upon these matters. The questions of convict labor, state printing done in San Francisco, and the appointment of a building inspector for Portland, were discussed. Members of the building trades declared that in every other city of the country there was an inspector of buildings, with large powers, and that the necessity of such an officer here was most urgent.

Capt. John O'Brien was elected vice-president.

A painter, speaking of the peculiar troubles of unionists in his trade, said: "In almost any business a botch can at once be picked out by anyone. But give a man a paint pot, a duster on his back and a few streaks of paint along his nose, and he looks, to the uninitiated, as workmanlike as the best. In day work the contractor is paid so much for each man furnished. If he is paid $3 60 for a $1 50 man he makes several times as much on the botch as he would on a competent workman. But the person for whom the work is done is a heavy loser." Some of the employing painters were reported as advertising in the East and San Francisco for men, and the union here realized the need of vigilance. There were rumors, too, of a proposed combination of all the building trades bosses.

The Surplus.

The chairman of the committee on finance of the Lime Kiln club expressed his readiness to report on the inquiry, "How shall we use the surplus in the treasury?" and reported as follows:

"1. Gin ebery city in de kentry a million dollars to spend in fish works.

"2. Buy fo' millyon bushels of peanuts an' distribute 'em free to all.

"3. Hev hoss races an' prize fights once a week, wid stimulshun free.

"4. Distribute Waterbury watches and roller skates free to all, an' doun charge nobody nuffin' for lemonade."

Fashion's Rapid Changes.
Omaha World.

Omaha girl—Are you ready, dear?

Boston girl—Not quite. I must put on my gloves first.

"Gloves? Why the last time you were here you refused to wear gloves anywhere."

"Yes, I know; but in Boston now bare knuckles are out of style."

The Leading Daily on the Coast.
The Chehalis Valley Vidette.

THE OREGONIAN came out last Saturday in an entire "new dress." THE OREGONIAN is evidently enjoying prosperity. It is the leading daily on the coast.

Now is the time to take a good spring medicine. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the very best. 100 doses $1.

THE EAST SIDE.

Work Commenced on Putting Holladay Addition Park in Order.

Large Real Sale Reported—Fourth Street Bridge at Last Thrown Open—Grant Engine Company Election—Personal Notes.

Some time ago the city council instructed Mr. Bartel, the street commissioner, to repair the fence around the city park in Holladay's addition. He began his work yesterday. It has been a long time since anything has been done with the grounds and the place is sadly out of repair. Not only this, but some of the young fir trees have been cut down and carried away. In this way the park has been damaged to the amount of at least $1000. Some efforts should be made to make it a pleasant place of resort. Let shade trees be set out and the grounds carefully leveled off. The cost would not be very much, while it would be of great advantage to the city.

FOURTH STREET BRIDGE.

The railroad company succeeded in raising Fourth street bridge up to its proper level and repairing it so it could be thrown open to the public yesterday, and teams crossed on it all day. It was certainly a very great relief to the people of Holladay's addition to be able to again use the bridge. Underneath that portion that is nearest the railroad embankment new timbers and a new foundation have been put in in place of the old piling. Workmen are engaged in bracing the bents in a most substantial manner, and it is thought it will last for years. The dumpcars are now depositing gravel between Fourth and Fifth street bridges. The embankment will probably be completed by Saturday next.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

At the annual meeting of Grant engine company, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, J. J. Murphy; secretary, A. H. Boscow; treasurer, E. Anderson; foreman, Lee Holden; first assistant foreman, H. Hill; second assistant foreman, Ed. Oliver; trustee, Dave Forbes. Delegates to the board of fire delegates were J. J. Murphy, A. H. Boscow, W. A. Jacobs. The company is composed of some of the best men in Stephens addition, and is in a flourishing condition. The time will come when an engine will be needed in the southern portion of the city, and Grant engine company can handle such engine in good shape.

THAT ROADWAY.

Mr. Keenan will be through with his contract on the N street roadway between Seventh and Ninth in about ten days. The city certainly has a good bargain in that bridge. In the first place piles were driven across the slough and were found to be entirely too short on which to build the bridge so they were sawed off, a platform built on them and long piling were then driven in place of the short ones. Now when the bridge is turned over to the city it will secure a good bridge and the foundation for a new structure when the one being completed wears out. All that will be needed when the city comes to build a new roadway will be to put up the bents on the piling already driven. As piling will sometimes last a century the city will secure a foundation that is worth at least $1000.

NOTES.

Mrs. J. Nicholas and family have gone to California to remain about three months.

The mails, Sunday, were brought over from Portland to this side for the first time, instead of being retained over there until Monday.

Judge J. K. Waite, republican senatorial candidate from this side, is well acquainted with the interests of the east side, and will make an able and effective state senator.

Most every day several loads of furniture come over from Portland, belonging to those who are coming over to this side to live. More would come but for the want of suitable houses to rent.

Lone Fir cemetery is partly within the corporate limits of East Portland and partly outside. In a short time it will be completely surrounded by houses and then interments should cease there.

The postal telegraph office, which was discontinued some time ago, has been opened at the residence of Mrs. Wait Lancaster, J street, between Sixth and Seventh, with Mrs. Lancaster as the operator.

Yesterday the street commissioner finished the bridge ordered by the city council to be constructed across the ditch leading from Mr. Ladd's property, in Tibbetts addition, into the slough. It has been much needed.

It was stated last night on good authority that a 200-acre tract of land southeast of the city has been sold for the sum of $25,000. None of the particulars of the sale could be obtained and only the bare statement can be given.

The last of the series of meetings that have been held in the Presbyterian church for three weeks, closed last night. Rev. Daniel Gamble delivered the closing sermon, and he was followed by several others in short addresses.

A force of men were put to work grading, yesterday, across the open grounds between Ninth and Tenth, on N street. The dirt is being used to fill the deep depression alongside of O street, which has needed filling for a long time.

Sunday was a fairly clear day, and quite a number from this side went up on Portland Heights. They reported they could count on this east side no less than 100 new houses being built. Twenty could be counted within a small space on the eastern boundary of Albina, on the Vancouver road. The others were distributed all over the city.

Rev. J. W. Sellwood and wife leave for California on the O. & C. this afternoon. After reaching San Francisco they will take a sailing vessel for Honolulu. They will be absent about six months. Rev. Sellwood has been the pastor of St. David's eight years and has made many friends by his efficient work, all of whom hope to see him return to his labors fully restored to health. Last night a very p